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NONANTUM SQUARE IMPROVEMENT

Elaborate Report of the Newton Planning Board Involving An Expense of Over \$200,000

The Newton Planning Board which has studied the improvement of Nonantum square for the past six months has recently rendered two reports to the city government. The following extracts indicate the plan recommended by the Board.

1. No make-shift plan should be adopted. We should make a plan having in view conditions at least 25 years hence, carrying it out as conditions warrant. This will involve a considerable outlay, but, if we adopt temporary measures now, we will enormously increase the future expense for some day radical changes must be made.

2. This Square is one of the chief gate-ways to our city, and judging from what we have seen of the change in conditions during the last 25 years, it is evident that we must allow for a great increase of traffic and congestion during the next 25.

3. With the opening of the new subway, there will doubtless be an immediate marked increase in the trolley traffic and, therefore, in the congestion at this Square. As further improvements of this kind are made in the service, the normal increase of traffic will thus be accentuated.

4. Before many years there will be physical connection between the Boston Elevated and the Middlesex & Boston systems, through cars will be run from Boston and Cambridge to Newtonville, Newton Centre, Waltham, West Newton, Wellesley and Natick.

5. In time, the Metropolitan Boulevard along the south side of the Charles will doubtless be built and become a popular drive between Newton and Boston. One of the natural connections between Newton and this boulevard is Jefferson street, now a narrow way.

The possible plans come under two general heads:

A. The removal of the trolley car traffic, as far as possible from the Square, providing for stopping and transferring elsewhere. While it is true that primarily the electric cars have created a situation which has become intolerable, yet this has resulted from a demand on the part of the public for increased facilities, and from the growth of population. In removing the cars from the Square we should have to reckon with the protests of the public, who would suffer loss of time, and increased discomfort in making transfers, and of the merchants and property owners in the Square. The business for the merchants comes chiefly from pedestrians in the Square, or from passengers leaving the cars, or transferring from one to another; at the same time, the through traffic of motor cars, and other vehicles, brings practically no business to the merchants. For these reasons we find it impossible to recommend any of the plans which come under this general head.

B. The other general plan consists in the diversion of vehicular traffic, as far as possible, from the Square, which would become almost exclusively a transfer place for the trolley car passengers. We agree that the solution of the problem is to be found in

some plan coming under this head, and have to submit the following recommendations, naming them in what we consider the order of their importance:

1. The immediate diversion from the Square of as many motor cars, and other vehicles, as possible, by placing proper street signs upon the present streets. We have not fully worked this out, but in part it is covered by recommendations which we are making to his Honor, the Mayor. As this is a simple matter for the Street Department, and does not require action by the Board, we have ventured to present it direct to the Mayor.

2. We would take by excess condemnation, or by some process of exchange of front for back land, the entire triangle at the South side of the Square, an area of 44,123 square feet, of which 5,300 square feet is owned by the city. This triangle, with its buildings, is assessed at \$159,250, of which the tract owned by the city amounts to \$21,600, leaving a net assessed value of \$137,650.

We would then clear all buildings from the apex of this triangle, throwing that into the Square, leaving a row of lots fronting on the Square, backing on the railroad, and having a depth of about 100 feet, which is sufficient for such stores as the locality requires, and would still leave a passageway in the rear along the railroad, for the handling of goods.

The land constituting the rear, or South part of this triangle, is now partly vacant, is of comparatively small value, and some of the best of the present front buildings might be moved back. The value of this remaining land would be greatly increased, for buildings thereon would face a wide and ample square, and would have ample rear light over the railroad. In our opinion, the value of the real estate remaining, after the necessary amount had been taken for widening the Square, would be so much increased that the final expense to the city would not be excessive. The engine house, now on the city's property, is badly placed, and as conditions in the Square become still more crowded, it will probably be necessary to remove it elsewhere.

2. Centre street, on the north side of the Square, connecting with Galen street, Watertown, is the narrowest of the four streets leading to the Square, and yet our count shows that it receives more traffic than any of the others. We, therefore, recommend the widening of this street. First, by arceding the present buildings to a width sufficient for a wide sidewalk, and bringing the roadway back as far as the face of the buildings, and second, by taking land from the east side of the street, north of Jefferson street, as far as the Watertown line, as indicated on the accompanying plan.

The approximate rental of the stores from and including Sweeney & Cronin's restaurant to the corner of Jefferson street is only \$65 per month, so that the damage to these stores by reducing the available floor space by the depth of a sidewalk could not be excessive, especially as they are now.

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FIRE TEST

Interesting Experiment On Fire Retarding Roofing Material

Building Commissioner Forbush conducted an interesting test of fire retarding roof coverings at the Crafts street stable on Monday of last week, and which was witnessed by quite a number of gentlemen interested in fire prevention work in this vicinity.

Seven different tests were made, wooden platforms, three feet square of 7-8 inch white pine sheathing, being covered with different kinds of fire retarding roof covering including 2 ply Ru-Ber-old, heavy weight red Ka-lar-old, red IMP shingles, gray IMP shingles, 2 ply Zypex roofing and S. P. C. red rock surfaced shingles. The seventh test being a model house three feet high with a pitched roof covered with red IMP shingles and the sides covered with 2 ply Ru-Ber-old roofing.

The first test consisted of lighting a fire of sawdust and shavings in the centre of each of the six platforms, which were set horizontal on bricks. The combustible material was about a foot wide at the base and eight inches high, saturated with gasoline. They were set fire to at the same time and burned from 17 to 19 minutes with only slight superficial charring of the roofing material and absolutely no spreading outside the zone where the shavings came in contact with the roofing.

Further tests were made with a fire of wood kindlings allowed to burn one hour and while the roofing was badly charred and blistered the wood underneath was only darkened with the saturation from the melted asphalt. Another test showed that a heavy fire placed against a platform set on an incline, and burning 30 minutes, badly charred the material and partially destroyed it where the fire was hottest, and the shingles fused into a solid mass, the wood, underneath, however, was not even charred. Still another fire on a platform placed horizontally and burning 20 minutes showed the wood underneath to be slightly charred and stained.

The model house was placed over a hot fire of wood and gasoline which burned for 24 minutes, the fire being extinguished as it appeared on the outside of the house, the object being to observe the blanketing effect of the materials being tested. The wood underneath the roofing material was completely burned away, leaving the shingles fused together in a solid mass, thru which the fire could not penetrate. The sides also were intact, showing that the blanketing effect of the material was conclusive. It was thought that these tests were unduly severe and even unfair but the results positively convinced those present that these materials had excellent fire retarding qualities.

HIGHLAND GLEE CLUB

Announcement is made of the Thirtieth Concert of this highly successful organization to be given at Lincoln Hall, Newton Highlands, Tuesday evening, January 5th, at eight o'clock. The Club will be assisted by Mme. Wilhelmina Wright Calvert and the Lotus Male Quartet, and will sing under the direction of Mr. Almon J. Fairbanks.

CHANGE IN RULES

More Stringent Policy In Force At Newton Hospital

The trustees of the Newton Hospital have been forced by the growth of Hospital work and the use of the Hospital by out of town patients to make new rules and regulations regarding payment by non residents and also to restrict the use of the Hospital by those residents who have the impression that it is run as a public charity.

The following instances of the abuse thus made of the benevolences of the Hospital are cited as typical of many others.

(1)—A man was recommended for treatment on one of the free beds and was accepted. Later developments disclosed the fact that he was regularly employed and was receiving \$2.25 per day, furthermore that he was a member of several benevolent organizations which pay a sick benefit. During his illness at the Hospital he was actually receiving \$7.25 per day. He might have paid the full rate of \$10.50 per week to the Hospital, his entire wages of \$13.50 per week to his family, and then have been \$19.50 per week better off than when he was well—his sickness was a money-making investment.

(2)—A young man was sent to the Hospital by one of the physicians with the request that he be placed on a free bed. There seemed to be no reason to doubt the genuineness of the need and he too was accepted. In this case it was discovered—too late for action—that the young man was making preparation to be married and that his inability to pay was due to the purchase of a new home costing over \$5,000.

(3)—Two young women suffering from typhoid fever occupied adjoining beds in the same ward. One physician expressed the opinion that his patient, a house maid, could pay \$1.00 per day, the other thought that his patient, a stenographer, could not pay.

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FINAL MEETING OF ALDERMEN

Ask Legislature Authority To Improve Nonantum Square and Build New Bridge

What was thought to be a most ordinary meeting of the board of aldermen on Tuesday night developed some interesting phases and it was nearly midnight before the final words were uttered.

The principal matters at issue were Nonantum square, Weston bridge and the action of the Forest Commissioner in spending \$157 for accessories on a \$450 Ford automobile.

Nonantum square was the subject of the greatest discussion, and it was finally decided to petition the Legislature for authority to improve and enlarge the square in the broadest way. Weston bridge was also favored after the order to obtain the necessary legislation was amended in a manner which really meant but little, altho it is probable no action at all would have been taken if the amendment had failed.

Money was appropriated for the automobile accessories after the Forest Commissioner had been sharply criticized for his lack of judgment in the matter.

President Blakemore was in the chair for the last time, and Alderman Malcolm was the only member absent.

No one appeared on hearings on petitions of the M. & B. St. Rwy. Co. for a crossover on Commonwealth avenue near Lake street, of the Edison Co. for poles on Churchill street, and to keep gasoline by Mrs. Alice M. Nichols on Hillside road, F. W. Lane, Commonwealth avenue and on the laying out of Dorset road, Waban, and all of these petitions were subsequently granted. The petition of A. K. Casson for gasoline on Commonwealth avenue, ward 6 was referred after hearing.

Mr. Potter appeared for the Boston Elevated Co. on its petition for curbs, tracks crossing the north roadway of Commonwealth avenue at Lake street and said that it was the intention of

the Company to construct a shelter on private land at that point to facilitate the handling of passengers, and relieving the present congestion in the centre of the street. The Newton line was to join with them in this matter. Mr. Potter said that since the new subway had been opened there had been a large increase in the traffic at this place and it was hard to handle the necessary cars on the present tracks. Mr. H. J. Cunningham appeared for the Archbishop of Boston and asked that the matter be postponed until the Company had completed its plans in order that his client might know whether or not to object.

Mayor Childs sent in numerous recommendations for transfers in appropriations for an additional appropriation for Worthy Mothers and also recommending some action looking towards a new bridge over the river at Commonwealth avenue.

Petitions of S. C. Harris for ten hackney carriage licenses, for appointment of various betterment assessments on Monadnock road, Hobart road, Upland road and Marshall street, of the Edison Co. for relocation on Montvale road, relocation on Churchill street, attachments on Webster and Walnut streets and of the Telephone Co. for attachments on Grove street were granted. Petition of F. H. Shepard for pool tables on Walnut street, Ward 2 was also received.

On recommendations of committees various transfers were authorized in appropriations, \$1310.92 added to Worthy Mothers account, money for curbing on Adams street and for widening of Grove street was added to 1915 appropriations, and the Telephone Company authorized to set poles on Commonwealth avenue, ward 4, to lay underground conduits in Commonwealth avenue, ward 6, for attachments on Churchill street and to remove pole on Washington street, ward 4. Licenses were granted to C. L. Torre as a common victualler, to Mrs. James Clear to keep an intelligence office and leave to withdraw granted the Edison Co. on petitions for poles on Waltham and Crystal streets and to W. H. Gilbert to purchase land owned by city on Commonwealth avenue, ward 4.

The order to transfer \$157.50 from the Moth Work account of the Forestry (Continued on Page 4.)

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EDITORIAL

Five members of the present board
of aldermen retire from active service
today. President Blakemore and Mr.
Barker who have served five years
each, Mr. Bemis who has served four
years, Mr. Richardson, two years, and
Mr. Wagner, but one year.

President Blakemore has held the
chair for the two years just past and
it is no disparagement to his prede-
cessors to say that in that position he
has had few equals and possibly no
superior. A strong partisan and ad-
vocate of what he believes to be right
and best, Mr. Blakemore has been scrup-
ulously fair and just in all his parlia-
mentary rulings, and what is more,
has been found to be correct in all
those which were subject to question.
During his five years of service he was
one of the leaders in the effort to bring
our school expenses down to financial
earth, and was a leader in a temperance
movement to discontinue liquor licen-
ses heretofore granted the druggists.
He has consistently opposed expendi-
tures for what he has believed to be
unnecessary purposes and at the same
time has strongly advocated a policy
to make uniform permanent improve-
ments throughout the city.

Alderman Barker has been one of
the strongest members of the board dur-
ing his entire service and as chairman
of the important committee on Public
Works has had the utmost respect of
his associates in all matters reported
from that committee. His work has
been done so quietly, however, that it
is doubtful if the average citizen real-
izes the calm, cool, conservative work
of Mr. Barker, and the city is very
largely in his debt for the time and
conscientious labors of the alderman
from ward 7.

Alderman Bemis is also deserving of
the hearty thanks of every citizen of
Newton. A man of large business af-
airs, he has brought a trained and
practical mind to bear on all city mat-
ters, and his clear, practical common-
sense has been greatly respected by
his fellow members.

Alderman Richardson, who retires
after a term of but two years, gave
so much promise of valuable service
that there is a general regret among
all who knew of his work. Mr. Rich-
ardson was greatly interested in the
matter of appropriations for the Street
department and gave a great deal of
thought to the proper apportionment
of the funds used in that important
department of municipal work.

Alderman Wagner, who failed of re-
election last month, has been faithful
and conscientious in his work and at-
tendance at the board and committee
meetings, but has had hardly time
enough to become at all prominent in
the work of the city government, altho
there is no question but with another
year he would have made his mark
with the remainder of his associates.

The city of Newton is exceedingly
fortunate in the character of its city
government and the gentlemen who re-
tire this year from its service deserve
the grateful appreciation of every resi-
dent and taxpayer.

The report of the Planning Com-
mission will be read with interest by
every taxpayer of the city, not only
as the eventual solution of the present
day problem, but as an indication of
the policy to be followed by that body
in approaching other matters of city
planning.

There are two points of view in con-
sidering the proposed plan. First,
whether or not, it shall be the ultimate

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solution of the problem, and second,
whether or not, the proposed improve-
ment is actually necessary. There
can be no question from the first point
of view but what the work can be
done now at a less cost than at any
time in the future, and immediate ac-
tion, therefore, is advisable. On the
other hand, there are many who ques-
tion the advisability of ever doing this
work except from an aesthetic stand-
point. The trouble with Nonantum
square at the present time, is not with
the south side, as the Planning Board
state, but is wholly due to the nar-
rowness of Centre street towards Wa-
tertown. Half the money proposed to
be spent in the improvement of the
south side, would afford ample facili-
ties in this part of Centre street, and
the problem would be solved for many
years to come.

One suggestion has been advanced
the past week which should be con-
sidered before actual steps are taken
in this work. It is briefly, a plan to
allow traffic to pass around the square,
rather than thru it, by building a
street along the north bank of the rail-
road location from Centre street to
Washington street and another cut
off street from near the Washington
street bridge, in the rear of the Char-
lton and Nonantum buildings and con-
necting with Centre street near the
present junction with Jefferson street.
These two streets would not only care
for the traffic but would open up con-
siderable back land for business pur-
poses and for which street better-
ments could be levied and help defray
the cost.

The GRAPHIC does not favor the
expenditure of the sum of Two hun-
dred thousand dollars for widening
Nonantum square on the south side,
for there is plenty of room in that part
of the square for many years to come.
It does favor, however, the expendi-
ture of any reasonable amount of money
for the purpose of widening the
outlet towards Watertown which is the
source of all of the trouble not due
to street railway management, or lack
of management.

Happy New Year.

NEW YEAR'S PARTY

The New Year was greeted last
night at the Hunnewell Club with one
of the jolliest and prettiest, as well
as one of the largest parties ever given
at that popular clubhouse. The affair
was capably handled by the Entertain-
ment committee, consisting of
Messrs. W. V. Marsh, Thomas E.
Murray and W. I. Fearing and in-
cluded several innovations. Early in
the evening, after the several hundred
guests had been presented to the
matrons, Mrs. John Hopewell, Mrs.
Oliver M. Fisher and Mrs. A. J. Wel-
lington by a corps of ushers composed
of Messrs. P. S. Jamieson, W. B. Sharp,
C. C. Colby, Walter Bryant, Henry C.
Hopewell, John L. McKoon and F. P.
Scotfield, large paper bags containing
marvelous specimens of headgear were
presented to everyone in the hall and
the dancing immediately assumed a
Mardi Gras effect. During the evening
the dancing was interrupted to allow
Mr. Blodgett to give some ex-
ceedingly clever feats of jugglery and
a colored comedian to entertain
the crowd with songs and stories. As
the midnight hour approached, ribbon
confetti was thrown all over the hall
and suspended from wires, and thru
which the dancers tripped their way
regardless of the maze of multi-colored
ribbons. Watchmen's rattles and
other noise producing instruments
added to the hilarity if not to the har-
mony of the occasion and 1914 who
appeared with long white hair and
beard and with the last calendar page
of the year on his back was greeted
with an abundance of noise. The few
minutes before the midnight hour
were spent in singing patriotic and
sentimental songs and when the light
came on after a moment of darkness
the New Year, dressed as a baby and
operating a child's automobile was
seen on the floor driving 1914 into
the ranks of the "Has Beens" amid
the laughter and applause of the en-
tire company. President Hopewell
then gave the members and their
guests a most hearty welcome to the
New Year, followed by the singing of
the Star Spangled Banner and the un-
veiling of a large national flag at the
back of the stage. During the evening
refreshments were served by a
committee of ladies under the direction
of Mrs. T. F. Murray and Mrs.
Elmer L. Gibbs, Mrs. Eugene Carpen-
ter, Mrs. B. S. Hinckley and Mrs. H.
P. Curtiss poured.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

The annual Christmas tree and en-
tertainment of Co. C, 5th Regiment,
M. V. M., was held Wednesday night in
the State Armory at West Newton,
and the evening was down in the
memories of the members as a most
enjoyable one. The members decorated
the armory and a large tree held
a present of some sort for each mem-
ber. Following dinner at 7 o'clock, the
members and guests assembled in the
library, where a fine entertainment,
consisting of violin, banjo, and vocal
selections, a magician, and musical
numbers by Capt. Philip B. Bruce of
the company, and several members,
was given. The gifts were distributed
to the members by private Cronin, and
each one opened his package and read
the inscription to the gathering. The
guests of the evening were the mem-
bers of the Clifton Guard Veteran As-
sociation, former members of the com-
pany.

DINNER BRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert G. Ripley en-
tertained the members of their Bridge
Club at a dinner party followed by
auction bridge, on Tuesday evening
at their attractive new residence on
Birch Hill road, Newtonville.

The card tables were placed in the
spacious living-room and potted plants
were pleasingly arranged as decora-
tion. The dining-room was bright
with pink and white cyclamens, be-
gonias and primroses, with a back-
ground of palms, ferns and rubber
plants, in the adjoining conservatory.
Pink and white primroses were ar-
ranged effectively with candelabra on
the table and covers were laid for
sixteen.

The occasion was most delightfully
social each member of the Club being
present.

BOSTON STREET TRAFFIC

One of the Divisions of the Boston
Chamber of Commerce has made an
interesting report on traffic conditions
in Boston which ought to be read by
every resident of Newton. The matter
has been under consideration for over
a year and valuable statistics were col-
lected and form the basis for the rec-
ommendations made in the report.
The report is based on a practical
survey of the actual conditions of
street traffic. Observations made at
various points through the wholesale
district determined the average flow
of traffic along the most used routes,
the points of origin and destination of
this traffic, its character, the places
of congestion, and the causes of con-
gestion. It was found, for instance,
that thirty per cent of the teaming
traffic originating at South Terminal
and passing over the Congress Street,
Federal Street, and Lincoln Street
routes crossed State Street; but only
about nine per cent reached North
Terminal points on these routes. And
of the northbound traffic which tends
to congest at the Old State House,
only nineteen per cent originated at
the southern terminals.

The points of greatest congestion in
the wholesale trade's teaming routes
are the Market District, Union and
Federal Streets at Faneuil Hall Square,
Merchants Row, Kingston Street be-
tween Essex and Bedford; Devon-
shire, Otis and Arch Streets between
Summer and Franklin; Albany Street,
Devonshire between the Old State
House and Adams Square. Much of
the congestion is due to the constant
loading and unloading of trucks and
drays at the numerous general ex-
press offices situated along these
routes.

A very complete observation was
made of traffic at typical points of
congestion in the retail district. Watch-
men stationed on Washington
Street kept tab on the number of
pedestrians passing a certain point.
It was found that between 12 and 1
o'clock p. m. one-fourth of the people
were crowded off the sidewalk and
had to use the street so great was the
foot traffic on that thoroughfare. It
was found also that the average speed
of pedestrians on the Washington
Street sidewalks in the vicinity of the
Summer Street intersection is nearly
3 miles per hour in the early forenoon,
and diminishes to 1.8 miles per hour
between 1 and 4 p. m., rising again
in the later afternoon. The intersec-
tion of Summer and Winter Streets
with Washington is perhaps the worst
congested point of the retail district.
The crossings are congested practi-
cally all of the time between 10.30
a. m. and 5.30 p. m., with conditions
most acute between 3 and 4 p. m.

The considerable vehicular traffic of
Tremont Street makes the crossings
at School and Boylston Streets places
of unusual traffic activity. A count
was kept of the number of vehicles
passing the School Street intersection.
In the late afternoon as many as 652
vehicles passed in a half-hour. Boyl-
ston Street has a large traffic of pri-
vate vehicles, the majority of them
motor cars. Traffic at the Boylston-
Tremont corner averages 1000 vehicles
per hour, of which 400 are automo-
biles. Traffic regulation at this corner
is complicated by the large number
of automobiles passing, and the high
speed at which they go.

One factor contributing to the con-
gestion of traffic is the large number
of express and delivery teams which
crowd the streets of the retail district.
"To a large degree," says the report,
"this multiplicity of teams is due to
the fact that the present delivery sys-
tem of each store to a considerable
extent duplicates that of its competi-
tors. A possible method of relieving
the streets from the number of teams
brought into the district might be
found in a co-operative delivery sys-
tem operated or patronized by the
large and small retail stores."

Much sidewalk congestion is due to
obstructions which dot the streets of
Washington, Summer, School, Brom-
field, Winter, West and Boylston
Streets. The investigators found ten
clocks, occupying from 18 to 40 per
cent of the width of the sidewalk;
eight sets of posts, occupying from
5 to 25 per cent of the width; two
hydrants, occupying 21 per cent of
the width; and a fountain, fruit
stands, flower stands, postcard and
open display windows, each represent-
ing a considerable encroachment on
the sidewalk space.

HUNNEWELL CLUB

Some remarkably high scores were
made on the bowling alley this week.
Mr. W. F. Gregory making a single of
256 on bottle pins and Mr. H. L. Dex-
ter, Jr., rolling 159 with Boston pins.
Mr. Fred N. Pierce was awarded the
Christmas turkey, rolling within one
of a secret number which had been
in a sealed envelope.

The January announcements just is-
sued are as follows:

Saturday, Jan. 2, Children's party in
the afternoon.

Tuesday, Jan. 5, Neighborhood
Night.

Monday, Jan. 11, Ladies' and Gen-
tlemen's Bridge.

Tuesday, Jan. 12, Neighborhood
Night.

Friday, Jan. 15, Lecture by Prof.
Albert Bushnell Hart of Harvard on
"What the World Pays for War."

Tuesday, Jan. 19, Neighborhood
Night.

Friday, Jan. 22, Musical evening.

Monday, Jan. 25, Ladies' Matinee
Bridge.

Tuesday, Jan. 26, Winter Formal
Dance.

CHARITY BALL

The annual charity ball for the ben-
efit of the Adolphus Best Association,
was held in Bray Hall, Newton Centre,
last evening, and was attended by
more than 400 people. Chimes at mid-
night was followed by a solo dance by
Miss Alice Dias of Boston and a dance
delecting the four seasons.

The matrons were Mrs. Lewis R.
Spicer, Mrs. Sawdell Ward, Mrs. C. E.
Kelsey, Mrs. Everett D. Burr and Mrs.
H. H. Kendall. Mrs. Frank A. Mason
was in charge of the arrangements,
Waldron H. Rand was head usher and
Mrs. Norman Pratt was in charge of
the supper, and the midnight attrac-
tions were arranged under the direc-
tion of Mrs. T. A. Plimpton.

West Newton

Mrs. J. T. Eddy of Fairfax street
gave a luncheon on Wednesday after-
noon.

Mr. J. P. Gray of Winthrop street
is entertaining his sister from Lowell,
Mass.

Mr. F. T. Walsh of Valentine street
is entertaining his mother from Low-
ell, Mass.

Miss Elizabeth Fyffe of Prince
street entertained at dinner on Wed-
nesday evening.

The fifth in a series of assemblies
was held in Players Little Hall on
Saturday evening.

Mr. Stewart L. Bullivant of Mt.
Vernon street has returned from Yale
College for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Andreas Hartell of
Otis street have been entertaining rel-
atives from Philadelphia.

Miss Katherine Adams of Abbot
Academy is spending the holidays at
her home on Lenox street.

Mrs. O. C. Hubbard of Hillside
avenue gave a luncheon followed by
bridge on Wednesday afternoon.

Dr. Lewis H. Jack and family have
moved from Chestnut street to their
new residence on Austin street.

The meeting of the Score Club
was held last week at the residence of
Miss Alice Morton on Elm street.

Mr. Daniel B. Burnett and family
of Webster street have moved to the
Peabody house on Perkins street.

Mrs. A. E. Drinkwater and Miss
Elizabeth Drinkwater of Temple street
are guests at the Woodland Park hotel.

Box 335 was rung Sunday evening
for a chimney fire in the residence of
Mr. William H. Bacon of Temple
street.

Mrs. George P. Bullard entertained
the members of the Journey Club
Thursday afternoon at her residence
on Temple street.

Mrs. Walter Holmes Cady (nee
Evelyn Gorton) entertained at lunch-
con and bridge on Monday at her home
on Berkeley street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Howland of
Chestnut street are visiting their
daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Amend
at Highwood, N. J.

The many friends of Mr. Enoch
C. Adams of Lenox street will be
pleased to learn that he is recovering
from his recent illness.

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ordered thru the GRAPHIC office. We
can save you about 15% on your mag-
azines. Telephone for prices.

Mr. Eliot A. Carter of Nashua, N.
H., visited his parents Mr. and Mrs.
James Richard Carter of Mt. Vernon
street over the Christmas holidays.

Miss Dorothy Burrage of Temple
street gave a largely attended dancing
party on Tuesday evening, the occa-
sion being her eighteenth birthday.

Mrs. Robert P. Barnard, nee
Sprague of Palmetto, Ohio, has been
visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F.
W. Sprague, 2nd, of Regent street.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Pushee of
Prince street and Mr. and Mrs. Roy
E. Pushee of Highland street have
gone to Pinehurst, N. C., for a lengthy
stay.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murdock, Jr.,
(Alder Abbott) of Prince street are
receiving congratulations on the birth
of a daughter, Thursday morning, De-
cember 31st.

Mrs. S. Edmund Whitley of Cherry
street announces the engagement of
her daughter, Dorothy, a graduate of
Smith College, 1912, to Frederick Dick-
inson Goodale of Brookline.

Mr. Robert P. Doremus and
children of Farmington, Me., form-
erly of this place have been passing
the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Sam-
uel Barnard of Shaw street.

Mrs. John W. Carter of Otis street
left Saturday for Cincinnati to attend
the wedding of her son, Mr. Richard
Burrage Carter and Miss Elizabeth
Hobart on Monday evening.

Mrs. John W. Carter of Otis street
left last week to attend the wedding
of her son, Mr. Richard B. Carter and
Miss Elizabeth Hobart, which took
place Monday at Cincinnati.

Mr. James Richard Carter and
Miss Evelyn Carter of Mt. Vernon
street and Mr. and Mrs. Philip Carter
of Cambridge road, were among
the guests at the Carter-Hobart wed-
ding on Monday evening at Cincinnati,
Ohio.

Mrs. John W. Weeks, for many
years a member of the Standing com-
mittee of the Massachusetts Anti-
Slavery Association, has just been
unanimously elected president of the
District of Columbia Association Op-
posed to Woman Suffrage.

Mr. John Hurley, a well known
stone mason in this village, died last
Sunday at his home on Cherry street
at the age of 66 years. A requiem
high mass was celebrated at St. Ber-
nards Church on Tuesday morning
and the interment was at Waltham.

Mrs. Edith M. P. Dodge, the wife
of Mr. Lewis H. Dodge, died last Mon-
day at her home on Adena avenue af-
ter a long period of ill health. Funer-
al services were held on Wednesday
afternoon at her late home, Rev. J.
Edgar Park officiating. The burial
took place yesterday at Harrisville,
N. H.

Miss Katherine A. Ryan, the
daughter of Patrick Ryan, died last
Sunday at her home on Cranberry
street after a long illness. Miss
Ryan was 28 years of age and is sur-
vived by two brothers and one sister.
A requiem high mass was celebrated
Tuesday morning at St. Bernards
Church by Rev. Fr. Farrell, and the
interment was at Waltham.

OLD RESIDENT DEAD

Mr. Joseph M. Briggs, a resident and
well-known business man of this city
for nearly fifty years, died on Christ-
mas day at his home on Bellevue
street after a long period of ill health.
Mr. Briggs was born in Dennis, Mass.,
and was 77 years of age. He came to
Newton about 1870 and was the found-
er of the well known firm of J. M.
Briggs & Sons, painters and decora-
tors. He is survived by a widow, five
sons, Messrs. J. W. Briggs of Newton
Centre, Charles and Arthur Briggs of
Haverhill, Frank H. and William C.
Briggs of this city and one daughter,
Mrs. Pitt F. Parker of Newton. Funer-
al services were held from his late
residence on Bellevue street, Rev. H.
Grant Person of Eliot church officiat-
ing and the interment was in the New-
ton Cemetery.

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Newton Centre

Miss Margaret Ferguson has been
ill at her home on Pelham street.

Mr. Roger E. Poole of Ward street
has gone to Canada for a month's va-
cation.

Miss Mary C. Titcomb of Warren
street is ill at her home with pneu-
monia.

Mr. Percy L. Weir of Trowbridge
street has been recently operated upon
the arm.

Mrs. W. G. Davis, who has been
ill at her home on Pleasant street, is
able to be out.

Miss Margaret Merrill of Smith is
enjoying the college holidays at her
home on Lake terrace.

Miss Alma E. Thompson of Com-
monwealth avenue spent the holidays
in Manchester, N. H.

Mr. C. Peter Ingram of Chicago,
Ill., is spending a few days with his
sister on Centre street.

Mr. Andrew C. Miller of Bellows
Falls, Vt., have been visiting his
mother on Gray Cliff road.

Miss Kathryn Flanders of New
York is spending the week end with
her parents on Lake terrace.

Mr. George L. Upson of Hanover,
N. H., is spending a few days with
old time friends in this village.

Mr. William E. Huntington, who
has been ill at her home on Common-
wealth avenue is able to be out.

Miss Alice West of Vassar spent
the holidays with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. George L. West of Beacon street.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude C. Leitner of
Institution avenue are receiving con-
gratulations on the recent birth of a
son.

The annual meeting of the Unitar-
ian Society will be held on Friday,
January 15 and will be preceded by a
supper.

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At the next meeting of the Pub-
lic Forum at the Unitarian Church
next Sunday evening, Mr. Charles
Zeublin will speak on "Militancy and
Morals."

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Bombard
of Walnut street announce the en-
gagement of their daughter, Fannie
Marie, to Mr. Lester T. Davis of
Newton Highlands and Philadelphia.

The annual Christmas tree for the
members of the Church of the Sacred
Heart Sunday School was held Sun-
day afternoon in the lower part of
the church. An extremely interesting
program was arranged under the di-
rection of Rev. Fr. James F. Haney
for the 50 members, consisting of a
ventriloquist, magician and musical
program. Santa Claus also made his
appearance and gave to each member
of the Sunday School a box of candy,
fruit and Christmas card expressing
the best wishes of the pastor, Rev.
Fr. Daniel C. Riordan.

DIED

BULLENS, At Newton, Dec. 31, Albert
N. Bullens, aged 65 years. Services
at Grace Church, Saturday, Jan. 2,
at 11 A. M. Burial at Chicopee,
Mass.

DODGE, At West Newton, Dec. 28,
Edith M. F., wife of Lewis H. Dodge,
aged 44 yrs., 1 mo., 3 days.

THOMAS, At Newton Highlands, Dec.
28, Eliza A., widow of John C. Thom-
as, aged 87 yrs., 8 mos., 26 days.

RYAN, At West Newton, Miss Kath-
erine Ryan, aged 28 yrs., 23 days.

HURLEY, At West Newton, Dec. 27,
John Hurley, aged 66 yrs., 11 mos.,
17 days.

PLUMMER, At Auburndale, Miss
Katherine M. Plummer, aged 69 yrs.,
7 mos., 26 days.

MCALDER, At Newton, Dec. 25, Miss
Sarah J. McAleer, aged 62 yrs., 9
mos.

BRIGGS, At Newton, Dec. 25, Joseph
M. Briggs, aged 77 yrs., 4 mos., 19
days.

DYAR, At Newton, Dec. 25, Miss Julia
A. Dyar, aged 82 yrs

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The first of a series of Dancants will be given next Thursday evening at the Hunnewell Club with a musical entertainment from 8 to 10 followed by dancing until midnight. The entertainment will be furnished by the Metropolitan Trio, Mme. Martinez, pianist, Mme. Swornsbourn, soprano, and Mr. Edgar Child, basso, assisted by Miss Marie Sladen, contralto, and Miss Marion A. Wells, reader.

NEWTON SAVINGS BANK

Newton, Mass.

The Annual Meeting of the Corporation of the Newton Savings Bank, for the election of officers for the ensuing year, and the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the Corporation, will be held at the Banking House of the Newton Savings Bank, on Tuesday, the 12th day of January, 1915, at 4.30 o'clock P. M.

WM. F. BACON, Clerk.
Dec. 21, 1914.

Notice Is Hereby Given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of James B. Cook late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MARY S. COOK, Adm.

(Address)
Waban, Mass.
December 29, 1914.

Notice Is Hereby Given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of William Webb late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

ETHEL M. WEBB, Adm.

(Address)
7 Sayward Street,
Boston, Mass.
Dec. 22nd, 1914.

Notice Is Hereby Given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Edgar W. Shattuck late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

HENRY W. SHATTUCK, Adm.

(Address)
Pepperell, Mass.
Dec. 21, 1914.

Notice Is Hereby Given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Birtha May Jonsberg late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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C. H. WHELDEN, Treasurer and Manager

Newton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Collins and family have moved into their new home on Bennington street.

A very successful social and entertainment for the senior and intermediate departments of Eliot Sunday School was given Monday evening in Eliot Chapel. Each one represented by costume some book, person or place in the Bible, and the program was very interesting.

A musical event which attracted large numbers to the vesper service Sunday afternoon at Eliot Church was the presentation of, "The Story of Christmas," by the Eliot Choir, under the direction of Mr. Everett E. Truette, organist and choir-master. There was a chorus of 35 voices and the soloists were Miss Josephine Knight, soprano; Mrs. Adelaide Griggs Bowman, contralto; Mr. J. Garfield Stone, tenor; and Mrs. Frederic W. Cutter, bass.

The Christmas party for the Primary and Kindergarten Departments of Eliot Sunday School was held Wednesday afternoon in Eliot chapel from 3 until 5 o'clock. There was a large attendance of children and their parents and friends, and Mr. Ferry, as Santa Claus, entertained the children most delightfully with songs and Christmas stories after which they assembled about the prettily decorated Christmas tree where Santa Claus distributed the gifts.

BRAE-BURN CLUB

A Skating Carnival will be held this evening on the bowling green at Brae Burn, for members and their guests only. The Salem Cadet Band will be in attendance. Supper will be served in the Club House from 10 to 11 o'clock and there will be dancing, with music by Russell's Orchestra, from 9.30 until 12.

The Woman's Club is giving a luncheon this afternoon at the Club. About 160 guests will be present.

On Christmas Day, dinner was served to fifty guests at the Club. The dining hall was very attractively decorated with evergreen wreaths and holly.

Candid, at Least.

For commercial candor and unconscious tellings of the truth it is hard to beat some of the circulars received from various European resorts. Often they are translated literally from the foreign languages into English, and the results are a delight. One of these advertisements of a Hungarian summer resort tells us that it charges "Moderate prices, except during the height of the season!"

Bucket Shop.

A bucket shop is an office where people may gamble in fractional lots of stock, grain or other things which are bought and sold on the exchanges. The bucket shop uses the terms and outward forms of the exchanges, but differs from these in that there is no delivery, and no expectation or intention to deliver or receive securities or commodities said to be sold or purchased.

What He Would Paint Next.

We went up to the Caxton building the other day to call on an artistic friend. We found him doing a war dance about his studio. "What on earth has happened?" we asked. "I've sold that painting," he cried. "Fine!" said we. "What are you going to paint next?" "The town!" he said. "The town?" "The town!" he said. "The town!" he said.

Form a Just Estimate.

Each man in his sphere, however narrow or extended, will find that his fellow men weigh his character and his abilities often, and unconsciously stamp him with their estimate; and that the average resultant of these frequent averages is just.—E. Pierpont.

Remarkable Record of Service.

Reading (England) corporation has in its employ three brothers named Stevens, whose combined ages amount to two hundred and nine years, and whose total service for the corporation amounts to 124 years. Except for illness, they have not lost one hour between them the whole of the time.

Always Continue to Hope.

We do not command ourselves to hope. We just hope. It is a part of our vitality. It lifts, inspires, nerves us. It is as indefinite as life itself. It is an inseparable function of a sound mind. The ceaseless struggle of hope, on the invisible battlefield of the mind, is one of the wonders of creation.

Spare the Hens.

Winifred had been disobedient, and her mother led her into the chicken house. Amid apprehensive cries from the child and the alarmed cackles from the hens, active punishment progressed until Winifred sobbed chidingly: "Mamma, don't you think this scares the hens too much?"

Apt Description.

Visitor to Literary Shrine—"You have lived here 40 years? Then you must remember him as a boy. What was he like?" Oldest Inhabitant—"Well, zur, if 'e be the same as 'e war when I knew en, 'e can't 'ave changed much."—London Opinion.

Mistake Somewhere.

"Sam, I understand that there's a schism in your church," said the jocular man to his colored man-of-all-work. "Kain't be, 'less'n somebody done made us a present of it, 'cause we done spend all our money foh a new obgan."—Livingstone Lance.

No Chance for Father.

Our observation is that when there are four daughters in a family, father doesn't wear much jewelry.—Galveston News.

NEWTON SAVINGS BANK

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Newton

—The alarm from box 172 late Tuesday night was false.

—When you want a plumber call B. M. Thomas, 272 Newton North. Adv.

—Box 242 was rung Wednesday night for a fire in a barn owned by Mrs. Mary Farrell on Clinton street.

—Rev. D. W. Waldron, D. D., the head of the Boston Missionary Society occupied the pulpit Sunday at Eliot Church.

—Have your Furniture reupholstered. Mattresses, window shades and draperies made by M. H. Haase, 427 Centre street. Adv.

—Rev. Harrie R. Chamberlin and Mrs. Chamberlin of Tremont street have returned from a holiday visit with relatives in Toledo.

—Why are there Catholics and Protestants? will be the topic in the first of a series of lectures by Professor Rowe, beginning next Sunday at Eliot Church.

—The Women's Auxiliary of Grace Church held a largely attended sewing meeting Thursday morning in the church parlors to continue work for the Belgian sufferers.

—The next meeting of the Men's Club of Grace Church will be held Monday evening, January 11th in the parish house. Mr. Ralph Adams Cram, the leading church architect in America, will be the speaker.

—Mr. Albert G. Bryant, secretary of the World's Peace Foundation gave a very interesting address to the members of the Woman's Auxiliary at the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday afternoon, his subject being "The Last War."

—The Newton & Watertown Gas Light Company has declared its usual quarterly dividend of 2 1/2 per cent.

A recent table shows that this Company has increased its net earnings from \$5,932 in 1913 to \$6,301 in 1914.

—Prof. Henry K. Rowe will give a series of Sunday noon talks at the Eliot Church on the general subject of "Congregationalists and their Neighbors." The subject next Sunday will be "Why there are Catholics and Protestants."

—Miss Sarah J. McAleer, a resident of this city for many years, died on Christmas day at the home of her sister, Mrs. John F. Griffin, on Waban street. Miss McAleer was 62 years of age. Funeral services were held on Monday and the interment was at Arlington.

—The Girls Friendly Society of Grace Church entertained the members of the Candidates Class at a very delightful New Year's party, last evening in the parish house. The program included games, tableaux, and music, after which refreshments were served. The affair was under the direction of Mrs. Church.

—A memorial service was held at the North Church, Monmouth, Sunday evening for the late Rev. Charles L. Merriam, a former pastor who was recently killed in an automobile accident in New Jersey. The exercises were in charge of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Rae, assisted by Mr. William E. Lowry, superintendent of the Sunday School, and Messrs. Walter Fletcher and William Macpherson.

—Joseph N. Smith, living at 14 Thornton place was found early Thursday morning of last week suffering from the effects of poison self administered with suicidal intent. A local physician was called and after treatment the young man was taken to the Hospital. Smith was a member of the militia and took part in the regular company drill on the preceding evening. He is 20 years of age.

—The wedding of Miss Viola M. Harris of North Acton, daughter of Mr. David C. Harris, proprietor of the Acton Stone Quarries, and Mr. Richard Harold Pyle of Newton, will take place this evening.

The ceremony will be performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. Harrie R. Chamberlin, pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church, and a reception will be held immediately after the ceremony at the home of Mrs. Emma Pyle on Fayette place.

—On Christmas evening at the home of Mrs. Orlando Mason of Charlesband road, Miss Julia A. Dyer passed away at the age of eighty-three years. The funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon, Rev. H. Grant Person officiating and her remains were taken to Keene, N. H., for burial.

Miss Dyer was born in Middlebury, Vt., but much of her life was spent in Keene, N. H. Eight years ago she came to Newton to be a member of Mrs. Mason's family. For many years she had suffered as the result of an accident and although she was seldom free from pain, her patience, her gentle nature and her keen interest in affairs endeared her to all those who came in contact with her. Notwithstanding her delicate health so long as her strength lasted she was a busy woman and continued to read almost to the end. She had been more generously remembered than usual on Christmas and she was able to see and enjoy her presents, and then, as the day faded away she passed quietly out into the Beyond.

Newton

—Dutch clip for children. Fell Bros., Washington St. opp. Bank. Adv.

—The engagement of Miss Florence E. Burnham to Mr. D. Webster Anders was announced on Christmas Day.

—The Gymnasium class for Ladies will be resumed Thursday morning January 7 at the Newton Y. M. C. A.

—Miss Fanny S. Barber was leader of the Epworth League meeting on Sunday evening at the Methodist Church.

—Mr. Curry Bartlett of Arlington street has returned from his school at Montclair, N. J., for the Christmas holidays.

—Miss Marion M. Jones and Mr. Webster Jones of Waverley avenue leave today for a visit with friends in New York.

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—Miss Georgia H. Emery will entertain the Unity Club at her home on Waverley avenue on next Tuesday afternoon at three-thirty. She will tell of experiences in her recent trip around the world.

—Mrs. Louis E. Moore of Church street returned recently from a seven weeks' visit with relatives in White Plains and Ilion, New York. While in the latter place, Mrs. Moore attended the celebration of the 50th anniversary of the Ilion Baptist Church and the dedication of the new Sunday School rooms, and she is one of two surviving members, who were present at the dedication of the church 50 years ago.

—The annual Christmas party of Channing Sunday School was held in the church parlors on Tuesday, Dec. 29. Notwithstanding the severe storm and icy walking over one hundred children and their older friends sat down to supper. There were informal games for an hour before supper and afterwards the children joined in singing Christmas carols and then enjoyed the entertainment prepared for them by members of the Unity Club.

Miss Dorothy Emmons being chairman of arrangements. The first number was a nursery scene where two babies sang a song and played upon musical instruments. Miss Elizabeth Bartlett and Miss Katharine Stone being the infants. Then followed a clever sleight of hand performance given by Geoffrey Baker and Fred Burrows.

The last number was a reproduction of the Christmas classic, "Twas the Night before Christmas." Miss Margaret Ball and Miss Eleanor Brackett impersonated "Mamma and I," and when all were "snuggly tucked in their beds," Miss Clyde Carpenter read the poem and at the appropriate moment Santa Claus in the person of Elizabeth Carpenter, emerged from the chimney filled the stockings and departed in proper fashion. At the close Santa Claus and his assistants distributed boxes of Christmas candy to all the children present. Supper was served by a committee comprising many of the mothers of the children with Mrs. J. N. Palmer as chairman.

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—Telephone MacLean, 725 North, for anything in carpenter line. Adv.

—Mrs. Henry C. Haddon of Copley street is recovering from her recent illness.

—Mrs. Isabella Haddon is quite ill with the grippe at her home on Copley street.

—Miss Bertha Ruef of Vassar College is passing the holidays at her home on Park street.

—Mr. Bancroft Goodwin entertained a party of friends over the holidays at his home on Park street.

—Miss Rebecca Cole of Elmwood street has returned from the Sea Pine School for the Christmas vacation.

—Miss Elizabeth Carpenter of the Sea Pine School for Girls is spending the holiday vacation at her home on Richardson street.

—Mr. and Mrs. George A. Kinley have sent out cards for a dinner dance Saturday evening at their residence on Newtonville avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Van Tassel, Jr., of Winchester, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Plant of Cotton street.

—Mr. Winthrop Cole of Annapolis, Md., has been making his usual holiday visit with his sister, Mrs. J. A. Palmer of Lombard street.

—The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet with Mrs. E.

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FINAL MEETING OF ALDERMEN
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Dept. to pay for automobile accessories was opposed by Alderman Bartlett who thought the Forest Commissioner had showed poor judgment in adding \$157 worth of accessories to a Ford car. Alderman Pratt said the Finance committee felt the same way but as it had been done with the approval of the mayor and the comptroller, and charged to the Moth Work account, from which it was now apparent, it should be transferred, they had decided to recommend this action. Alderman Murphy thought the Forest Commissioner had acted within his authority and that there was no need of the transfer as it had been usual to charge these accessories to the automobile maintenance account of the different departments. Aldermen Bemis and Alley favored the report of the committee if it shouldn't happen again and the transfer was authorized, with Alderman Bartlett, Clark, Early and Blakemore voting in the negative.

There was a long discussion of the proposed improvement of Nonantum square, which centered in an order reported by a majority of the Public Works committee asking for Legislative authority to enlarge and improve that square. The report of the Planning Board, which is given in another part of this issue was the principal matter at issue and members of that Board who were present were asked many questions. Alderman Barker opened the debate by saying that this was the most important matter of the year and the action taken will establish a precedent as to the policy to be followed in the future on large public improvements. Nonantum square has a large amount of traffic and the conditions are dangerous. The mayor has placed an officer there to regulate traffic and has accomplished some good. The matter came before the committee on the petition of the Newton Board of Trade for an island in the square and on referring this petition to the Planning Board, they had deemed it best to favor a much larger scheme. This Board is composed of men of ability, successful in business and who realize the financial condition as well as the needs of the city. They have worked for six months on this problem and have consulted many persons whose advice was worth considering. Mr. Barker urged the aldermen to hold a dollar so close to their eyes that they couldn't see the benefits possible from a wise expenditure not to throw such a report into the waste basket because they lacked courage to tackle the problem in the right way. Personally he thought the arcade improvement was the most necessary and he offered another order requesting Legislative authority to make that improvement alone.

Alderman Early thought that the Planning Board had merely done its duty but had overstepped the scope of a petition which merely asked for an island in the square. The conditions had materially improved since an officer had been placed there and he thought that an ordinance prohibiting the standing of vehicles in the vicinity would greatly relieve the whole situation. The consolidation of all street railways in Greater Boston was in the air and it was not an opportune time to go to the Legislature.

Alderman Rice said that conditions in Nonantum square were greatly exaggerated and that it was a joke compared with places in Boston where from 500,000 to 3,000,000 passed in a day and 1000 autos and other vehicles in one hour, with only one policeman to regulate the traffic. The cost of arcading wouldn't be any more ten years from now than at present and if the south side is widened as proposed you only add 10,000 feet to the square at an enormous cost.

Alderman Alley appreciated the work of the Planning Board but said the city couldn't afford to enter upon this work, with depreciation in business conditions, and depreciation in personal property already in sight. He had personally failed to see any congestion in the square and believed the cost of the improvement would reach from two to three hundred thousand.

Alderman Bemis said that danger in Nonantum square was largely due to the M. & B. cars standing there for considerable periods and failed to see

why the Newton line must get so close to the Elevated tracks. He thought that 90 per cent of the danger would be averted if the Newton line circled the bank building, altho the passengers might not like it to walk a little farther.

Mr. Gibson, the chairman of the Planning Board said that they had asked the mayor to have the cars stopped 100 feet from present terminus and he believed the company had been asked to do so but had not yet complied. This might afford temporary relief. The bank building narrows the square and is an example of what ought not to have been done. The board had planned to make a permanent improvement in the square, as we must expect the traffic to become denser and denser even if the proposed cut off street is eventually constructed. Mr. Gibson was not prepared to say how far the city should provide facilities for public service corporations to handle their business. Mr. Alfred E. Alvord of the Planning Board thought that the improvement could be made at a less cost now than at any time in the future. He instanced a jump of values at Coolidge Corner in recent years from \$3 and \$4 a foot to \$6 and \$7 a foot and said that the apex of the triangle proposed to be taken was probably the highest priced land in Newton. He believed that to cut this off would make all the adjoining land equally valuable.

Alderman Clark said that Boston conditions furnished no argument for us to allow our own conditions to become equally bad and something ought to be done now if we don't want them to get beyond our control.

Alderman Jamieson said that he had heard nothing about Nonantum square as a business proposition. We ought to encourage more business to come to the square rather than to try to divert it, and he thought it was not so much a matter of safety as of convenience. To make this arcade would aid business conditions, and he thought that Newton was not so poor that it couldn't afford to spend a few dollars to better business conditions. Alderman Bartlett favored the broader legislation as he was not sure it was wise to arcade alone. He wanted legislation so that the board of next year could take some action if it deemed it advisable.

Alderman Richardson thought the small buildings on the south side should be removed and that the change would convenience traffic and benefit the entire square. Mr. G. R. Pulsifer of the Planning Board said that it was absolutely necessary to have legislative authority for either an excess condemnation process on the south side or for the arcading plan.

President Blakemore then took the floor and called attention to the Back Bay improvement made in Boston in 1862 and how the city had grown in that direction since. Brookline also had improved its town center and our own Commonwealth avenue improvement was money wisely expended. Newton hasn't spent anything in these directions for ten years and he believed that the growth of the city demanded some expenditures to keep pace with that growth. He believed that with the Boylston street subway there would be a great change in the population of Newton during the next ten years and that we ought not to allow the city to develop without adequate planning. This square was the most important gateway to the city and it would be a good investment to make.

Alderman Pratt said that the city hadn't yet caught its financial breath and that we had probably the largest per capita debt in the state. He thought these large improvements ought to wait until we have made a greater reduction in our bonded debt than at present. He criticized the figures estimated for damages and said that \$175,000 was undoubtedly lower than the city would have to pay. He also said the city would be called upon to build a new fire station at an expense of \$50,000. He might favor the arcade plan if it could be done for the estimate of \$15,000, but on the whole he wanted the matter left until next year.

Alderman Blanchard said the main question was to make a start as we should be ready to act when the time seems right to do so.

Alderman Jarvis said he had seen the congestion constantly growing for 15 years and thought we should act at once.

Alderman Forknall favored the arcade but thought the remainder of the plan should be reached more gradually, altho it seemed desirable and should eventually be reached. He thought that the possession of legislative authority would prove a lever to force more rapid action than he favored.

The broader order was then adopted with Aldermen Alley, Early, Forknall and Pratt voting in opposition. The arcade order was then refused passage.

Alderman Early presented an order for legislation to allow a new bridge over the Charles river to Weston, and while it was opposed by Aldermen Pratt and Bartlett, it was passed after an amendment providing for repairs of the present bridge, and also requiring the legislative authority to be accepted by the Newton aldermen, had been adopted.

Alderman Bemis then presented three amendments to the ordinances to limit expenditure of appropriations by heads of departments, to require annual reports of city departments to receive approval of the board before being printed, and to require the board to annually examine each section of the city ordinances each year in order to keep them up to date.

After the alderman had briefly spoken on these matters they were referred to the next board for action. Orders approving the records of the board and referring all unfinished matters to 1915 were then passed.

President Blakemore who retires from office with the expiration of the year then briefly thanked the board for the courtesy and patience which had been shown him during his two years occupancy of the chair.

Alderman Bemis, who also retires this year, said he had appreciated the opportunity to serve on the board for four years and commended the President for his impartiality, fairness and unusually correct rulings in the chair. The board adjourned at 11:37 o'clock.

DEATH OF MR. THOMPSON

Mr. Arthur Dickinson Thompson, son of Mr. Henry R. Thompson, a former well-known resident of Newtonville, passed away Friday after a lingering illness extending over a period of sixteen years.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon at the Central Congregational Church. Services were conducted at 2:30 by Rev. Brewer Eddy and sacred selections were rendered by Miss Marguerite Harding, contralto of the Central Church quartet.

Mr. Thompson had been a member of the Newton High School and the South School at West Newton, and during the last years of his life had devoted much of his time to artistic photography. He was also interested in literary work, and two very beautiful poems written by him were read at the service.

The burial was in the family lot in Newton Cemetery.

Mr. Thompson is survived by his father and three sisters, Miss Gertrude Thompson of Cambridge, Mrs. Alice B. Record of Franklin, Mass., and Mrs. Herbert M. Chase of Newtonville.

WINTER IN A GARDEN

I knew about snow, of course—had I not shoveled my own sidewalk part of the time for a score of years? But I had forgotten some of the snow-pelting about my household garden home, so that the marvelous elasticity of the seemingly stiff arborescences under a great load of clinging whiteness was new to me, as I waded about, lifting carefully here and shaking gently there to release the branches from their heavy burden.

Twenty years of walking on city streets gave me no preparation for the sheer beauty of the walk through a foot of virgin snow, with the afternoon sun sending blue-shadows into every footprint. The outlining in snow of the lovely reverse curves of the branches on the western birch horse-chestnut showed me anew what tree architecture means.

I made acquaintance, one winter day, of hoarfrost, with the delicacy of the sturdy young linden, and with the green plumes of the Norway spruce nearby. Curiously enough, I passed without seeing it a fine persimmon, which I presume was loaded then, as it has been annually since, with delicious and not purely fruit. Those same scrumptiously quince which looked so forlorn in November took on a new possibility when their branches were cased in crystal, for no fruiting could more completely justify their existence, at least to the hungry eye of the desk-bound man.—J. Horace McFarland in "The Countryside Magazine and Suburban Life" for January.

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 Just smiling.
 But it cannot make them worse,
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 Brightens up a gloomy place,
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GLUCK-ZIMBALIST CONCERT

The concert which will be given in Symphony Hall the coming Sunday afternoon, January 3rd, at half past three, will present as artists Alma Gluck, the fascinating American soprano, and her husband, Efrim Zimbalist, the great Russian violinist. Madame Alma Gluck is one of the most popular singers now before the American public. A woman of exceeding beauty, she is the possessor of a voice of wonderful lyric quality and her advance has been most rapid. Zimbalist, the Russian violinist, is a pupil of Leopold Auer, of Petrograd, where he was in the same class with Mischa Elman. Zimbalist is one of the few very great violinists of our time, the possessor of a beautiful tone, abundant technique and much sympathy.

NEWTON Y. M. C. A.

Athletic News

At a meeting of the Athletic Committee held Dec. 19th the following interesting program was outlined.

Feb. 1. 300 and 600 yd. runs to be conducted in order to establish State Records.

Feb. 3. Dual meet with Cambridge Y. M. C. A. in Cambridge. Events: 20 yd., 8 Potato Race, 12 lb shot, R. H. Jump, 3 Standing Broad Jumps, Relay Race.

Feb. 4. 1000 yd. run and standing hop, step and jump. State Record Events.

Feb. 26. Proposed meet in Newton with Brockton. Events: 20 yd., R. H. Jump, Shot Put, 300 and 600 yd. runs, 3 standing Jumps, Relay Race (each man to run 4 laps).

Week of Mar. 8. National Hexathlon Meet.

Mar. 20. Waitt Trophy Meet.

PLYMOUTH THEATRE—There is no lull in the immense popularity of Cyril Maude, the eminent English actor who is appearing in "Grumpy" at the Plymouth Theatre, Boston. It is just the sort of play that will appeal to all classes of playgoers. It is by no means the so-called "high brow" play. On the contrary it is distinctly a melodrama of the better kind filled with thrills, throbs and laughs. The story is written around a mysterious diamond theft. From start to finish the auditor is held in a firm grip of suspense, which is only relieved by the final denouement which comes as a pleasant surprise. The seats are selling three weeks in advance. The usual Thursday and Saturday matinees are given.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE—Next Monday is one of the big dramatic events, not only at Castle Square, but in Boston, for it sees the production of "Common Clay," the play that won the prize in the annual John Craig competition for Harvard students. It would not be fair to divulge its plot, for too many people look forward to an evening of absolute surprise on the "big night," but it is telling no secrets to promise a strong play with an unusual setting and one big scene in a Court Room that will challenge comparison with "Madame X" for power and pathos. Miss Mary Young will play a strong and vital role and Mr. John Craig will make a welcome appearance with such favorites as Mr. William Carleton, Dudley Hawley and Miss Betty Barnicoat and the full strength of the company in support.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Middlesex, ss. PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Arthur S. Davis (deceased) of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Seraphina H. Davis of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eleventh day of January A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, on the twenty-first day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Dennis Donahoe to John T. Burns, dated April 13, 1912 and recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, book 3683, page 531, will be sold at public auction upon the premises on Tuesday the twelfth day of January, 1915, at one o'clock P. M. all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—a certain lot of land with the buildings thereon, situated in the central part of Newton, being on the southerly side of Homer Street, and on the easterly side of North Street, commencing at the junction of Homer and North Sts. and running south 21½ degrees west about two hundred (200) feet; thence south 62½ degrees east, seventy feet to a stake and stone, thence north 21½ degrees east, about one hundred and eighty-one (181) feet to Homer Street; thence by Homer Street north 37½ degrees west ten (10) feet, thence north 47½ degrees west thirty-three (33) feet; thence north 52 degrees west thirty-three (33) feet to the point of beginning, said distances being more or less, containing about thirteen thousand five hundred and n (13510) square feet more or less. Subject to any and all taxes, assessments and mortgages of record.

James R. Murphy, Assignee of said Mortgage. Address, 1 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Ella Farrar to the Waltham Co-operative Bank, dated October 3, 1913 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, book 3830, page 534, for breach of the condition contained in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Monday the twenty-fifth of January, 1915, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—

The land in that part of Newton called Newton Centre, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a point on the southeasterly side of Irving Street, distant southwesterly from the southerly corner of Ward and Irving Streets, four hundred and eighteen and 50-100 (418-50) feet; thence running southwesterly by said Irving Street forty-three (43) feet; thence turning at a right angle and running southeasterly by land now or late of Wm. B. Quigly one hundred (100) feet; thence turning at a right angle and running northeasterly forty-three (43) feet; thence turning at a right angle and running northeasterly one hundred (100) feet to said Irving Street and the point of beginning. Containing about forty-three hundred (4300) square feet of land more or less.

Two hundred (\$200) dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

WALTHAM CO-OPERATIVE BANK, Mortgagee.
 By Earl F. Caswell, Treasurer.
 Clarence F. French,
 16 State St., Boston, Mass.,
 Attorney for mortgagee.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. LAND COURT.

To the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, a corporation sole duly established by the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts: Mary Monaghan, John Monaghan, Edward F. Monaghan, Richard J. Monaghan, Benjamin F. Monaghan and Agnes Monaghan Wheaton of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, and said Commonwealth; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by Oscar A. Colby of said Newton, to register and confirm his title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated on Washington Street in that part of said Newton, called West Newton, bounded and described as follows:

Southerly by said Washington Street; Easterly and Northerly by land of the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston; and Westerly by land of Mary Monaghan, John Monaghan, Edward F. Monaghan, Richard J. Monaghan, Benjamin F. Monaghan and Agnes Monaghan Wheaton.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the eleventh day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be recorded, and the said petition will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

Witness, Charles Thornton Davis, Esquire, Judge of said Court, this sixteenth day of December in the year nineteen hundred and fourteen. Attest with Seal of said Court. (Seal.) CLARENCE C. SMITH, Recorder.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Abram S. N. Estes to the Newton Co-operative Bank, dated March 8, 1911, and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds in book 3590, page 435 will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Tuesday the twelfth day of January 1915, at three o'clock, in the afternoon, for a breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—

a certain parcel of land situate in that part of said Newton called Newtonville being lots 2 and 3 as shown and marked on a plan of land in Ward 2, Newton, Mass. owned by A. S. N. Estes et als made by A. S. N. Estes Surv., dated August 15, 1899 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds at the end of book 2762 and together bounded as follows, viz:—

Southwesterly by Wilton Road formerly called Omar Terrace eighty (80) feet;
 Southwesterly, Southerly and South-easterly by the curve at the junction of Wilton Road and Allen Street ninety-three and 40-100 (93.40) feet;
 Southeasterly by Allen Street thirty-seven and 19-100 (37.19) feet;
 Northeasterly by lot 4 as shown and marked on said plan one hundred (100) feet;
 Southeasterly by said lot 4 on said plan forty-six and 3-100 (46.03) feet;

Northeasterly by land now or late of Allen thirty (30) feet; and Northwesterly by lot 1 as shown and marked on said plan one hundred twenty and 90-100 (120.90) feet; Containing 12934 square feet of land;

for title see deed to said Abram S. N. Estes by Herbert A. Patterson dated October 30, 1900 and recorded with said Deeds in book 2858, page 137 and deed of Thomas G. Estes dated October 2, 1906 and recorded with said Deeds in book 3273, page 493 and deed of Josephine E. N. Estes; and being subject to the rights of the City of Newton in a strip of land along the North-easterly bound as therein set forth or referred to.

Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid municipal liens.

\$300.00 will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale.

THE NEWTON CO-OPERATIVE BANK, Mortgagee.
 December 14, 1914.
 Brewer, Wood & Weed, Attorneys
 40 Central St., Boston, Mass.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts. LAND COURT.

To Catherine Boyle, Mary Cody, Mary Monaghan, John Monaghan, Edward F. Monaghan, Richard J. Monaghan, Benjamin F. Monaghan and Agnes Monaghan Wheaton of Newton, in the County of Middlesex, and said Commonwealth; and to all whom it may concern:

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court by James J. Deifely, of said Newton, to register and confirm his title in the following described land:

A certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon, situate on Auburn Street in that part of said Newton, called West Newton, bounded and described as follows:

Southerly by said Auburn Street; Westerly by land of Catherine Boyle and Mary Cody; Northerly by land of Mary Monaghan, John Monaghan, Edward F. Monaghan, Richard J. Monaghan, Benjamin F. Monaghan and Agnes Monaghan Wheaton; and Easterly on a private way twelve (12) feet wide.

Petitioner claims as appurtenant to the above described land rights in the private way shown on the plan hereinafter mentioned.

The above described land is shown on a plan filed with said petition, and all boundary lines are claimed to be located on the ground as shown on said plan.

You are hereby cited to appear at the Land Court to be held at Boston, in the County of Suffolk, on the eleventh day of January A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. And unless you appear at said Court at the time and place aforesaid your default will be taken as confessed, and you will be forever barred from contesting said petition or any decree entered thereon.

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Newtonville

—Mr. Richard D. Pierce of Walnut street left Wednesday for a visit with friends in New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter F. Sisson and son Arthur of Austin street are visiting relatives at Rutland, Vermont.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. Wendell Pray of Kirkstall road were guests over the week end of relatives in Providence.

—A meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's Church was held Monday afternoon in the choir rooms.

—Miss Louise Wakefield of Columbia University is passing the Christmas holidays at her home on Highland avenue.

—Dr. Stephen Mallett of Washington park has been appointed professor of Conductive Anaesthesia at the Harvard Dental School.

—Rev. John Goddard, pastor of the Church of the New Jerusalem officiated at the Carter-Hobart wedding Monday evening at Cincinnati, Ohio.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Diamond have closed their restaurant on Walnut street and will leave this week with their family for California.

—Mrs. Charles W. Hamilton and Miss Dorothy Hamilton of Walnut street entertained relatives from Cambridge over the Christmas holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Perry Smith and Mr. James Perry Smith, Jr., of Lowell avenue were guests at a house-party at Marlboro over the holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Rumery of Cabot street were guests over the Christmas holidays of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. Ross at their home in Ipswich.

—Judge Marcus Morton, Mrs. Morton, Miss Helen Morton and Marcus Morton, Jr., left Saturday morning on a holiday trip to the White Mountains.

—Mrs. Lyman F. Fletcher and son Kenneth of Auburndale, are spending a week with Mrs. Fletcher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Sisson of Austin street.

—Rev. A. J. Muste, the newly appointed minister, will conduct the service this evening and will occupy the pulpit Sunday at Central Congregational Church.

—Mr. D. Brewer Eddy will deliver an illustrated stereopticon address at the Methodist Church next Sunday evening at 7.30 on, "A Glimpse of Home Life in India."

—Lieutenant Chester H. J. Keppeler and Mrs. Keppeler of Walnut street entertained Mrs. Keppeler's parents, Hon. and Mrs. John A. Fenn of Boston, over the Christmas holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bassett Whitcomb of Campello, were entertained over the Christmas holidays at the home of Mrs. Whitcomb's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren M. Tapley of Cabot street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Noyes G. Harrington of Worcester have sold their estate in Worcester and are spending the winter with their son, Charles B. Harrington of the Technical High School at his new home on Oakwood road.

—Miss Pearl Maynard gave a small Christmas party at her home on Crafts street Saturday evening, the 26th. Mr. Ralph S. Maynard of Chicago was guest of honor, and progressive whist was the principle feature of the evening.

—Mrs. D. C. Heath entertained at a family re-union and dinner party on Christmas day at "Heathcote," her residence on Highland avenue. Her guests included Mr. and Mrs. Warren Heath, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold C. Heath, Mr. James Knox, and Mr. D. Collamore Heath.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Page gave a family dinner party and Christmas tree for their children, on Christmas day at their home on Newtonville avenue. Their daughter, Miss Louise Page of Baltimore, and Mrs. Loudon Charlton, Mrs. Page's cousin, of New York, were among their guests.

—The Christmas Service at the Church of the New Jerusalem was conducted Sunday by Rev. E. M. Lawrence Gould, the assistant pastor. There was a special story sermon for the children and members of the Sunday school attended in a body. After the service the annual Christmas exercises for the Sunday school were held.

Newtonville

—Mr. W. B. McCruden is to build a new house on Dale street.

—Miss Evelyn Bailey of Cabot street is ill at the Newton Hospital.

—Mr. George W. Gould of Walnut street is ill at the Newton Hospital.

—Mr. William H. Allen of Kirkstall road has returned from a holiday visit to Pittsfield.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Kendrick are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Shepard, Jr., of Boston have taken a house at 134 Linwood avenue.

—Rev. Arthur Little, D. D., and Mrs. Little have been entertaining friends from New York.

—Miss Ruth Bisco of Worcester was a holiday guest of Mrs. H. B. Stoddard of Highland park.

—Mr. Edward Page of Newtonville avenue left this week on a business trip to New Orleans.

—Mr. Thomas Prouty of Lexington, has moved into Mr. Chesley's house on Washington street.

—Mr. and Mrs. George H. Heath of Chesley avenue spent the holiday with relatives in Middleboro.

—Mr. and Mrs. Herbert F. Jackson of Albemarle road spent the holidays with relatives in Needham.

—Mrs. Fred S. Johnson of Campello was the guest this week of Mrs. Alfred B. Tainter of Highland avenue.

—Mr. Hubert L. Carter of Otis street was a guest at the Carter-Tobart wedding on Monday at Cincinnati, Ohio.

—Mr. Wallace Odell of Walnut street has returned from a holiday visit to his home in Stratham, N. H.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Ernestine Merrill of New York city, to Mr. Clinton W. Kyle of Otis street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Pierce of Bowers street have moved into their new house recently completed on Mill street.

—Mr. and Mrs. William H. Zoller of Jenison street are receiving congratulations on the recent birth of a daughter.

—There was a still alarm Saturday morning for a fire at 11 Washington terrace caused by thawing out frozen water pipes.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Cobb of Kimball terrace entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Maine over the Christmas holidays.

—Mrs. George A. Clapp and Miss Antoinette Clapp of Walnut street were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Clapp of Brookline.

—Mr. and Mrs. John Beal of Washington street passed the Christmas holiday with Mr. and Mrs. George Forbes of Cambridge.

—Rev. A. J. Muste, the newly appointed pastor of Central Church has hired the Hubert W. Pierce house at 575 Watertown street.

—Mr. Percy Zeigler of Jamaica Plain has moved into the C. D. Willcutt house which he recently purchased on Mill street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Washburn of Lowell avenue entertained their daughter, Mrs. Belding of Brooklyn, N. Y., over the holidays.

—A sunrise service was held this morning at 7 o'clock in the vestry of the Methodist church and the meeting this evening will be omitted.

—Mr. Rollins of Waltham has purchased 14,000 sq. ft. of land on Fair Oaks avenue and is having ground broken for a dwelling house.

—Miss Rose Nicolett, a returned missionary from the Philippine Islands, addressed the Ladies Class Sunday at the Methodist Church.

—Mr. and Mrs. William F. Koessler are entertaining Mr. Koessler's father, Mr. George W. Koessler, at "Pinecrest," their home on Highland avenue.

—The Branch Quarterly Meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will be held on the morning and afternoon of the second Wednesday in January at the Methodist Church.

—The discontinuance of the local telegraph office in this village today is certain to arouse considerable complaint, as many persons will not relish making a trip to Newton every time they have occasion to use the telegraph.

For general satisfaction doing a little better today than you did yesterday can be highly recommended.

CHANGE IN RULES

(Continued from Page 1.)

more than 50 cents per day—it developed later that the stenographer had been receiving \$18.00 per week. At the time of discharge, the one who was to pay \$1.00 per day was indignant because she had learned that her charge was double the amount which had been made to her companion. She was provided with money to pay her bill, and had no thought that the rate was too high, but felt that she had made a bad bargain and that the discrimination was unfair. The fact of personal obligation based on ability to pay, had not once entered her mind.

Another loss to the Hospital is that which results from the non-payment of bills contracted by out-of-town patients.

The Hospital is supported by payments made for patients, from income from invested funds, of which there are far too few for an institution of this character, and from gifts. The principal item in the form of gifts comes directly from the people of Newton thru Hospital Sunday and, in the opinion of the trustees, are intended for the benefit of the poor of this city and not for outsiders.

The new rules are as follows:

On and after January 1st, 1915 any person living outside of Newton upon admission to the Hospital as a patient be required to deposit an amount equal to the charge to be made to him for a period of two weeks, and thereafter at the end of each week while he remains in the Hospital, he will be required to deposit a further amount equal to the charge for a period of said deposit as has not been applied to payment of charges against him. This regulation does not apply to emergency cases as may be determined by the Matron.

On and after January 1st, 1915, the regular rate for residents of Newton received in the General Wards of the Hospital, except for maternity cases, will be \$10.50 per week. If a patient claims that he is unable to pay the full amount, his case will be investigated by one appointed for that special purpose and a reduction will be made only if the need is real. Misapplied charity is not only an injury to the recipient, but a gross injustice to the giver and a breach of trust on the part of the Hospital.

The Hospital has no intention of turning away from its doors any worthy case and emergency cases will be given the usual prompt attention, the new rules being intended simply to correct the abuses which have been outlined above.

NEWTON CLUB NOTES

At the recent roll-off the winning gentlemen's team, comprising Messrs. Wear, Ryder, Arnold, Tucker, Schipper, played against the winning ladies' team, comprising Mrs. Young, Mrs. Ryder, Miss Cheney, Mrs. Toole and Miss Tolman, the ladies winning. This was the end of the Autumn tournament and closed a season of great activity. The teams which stood second in the tournament were as follows:

Men: Messrs. Macomber, Whittemore, A. P. Carter, Boutell and Douglas.

Ladies: Mrs. Ripley, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Halliday, Mrs. Ely and Mrs. Mann. For the fall season the highest total pin fall was obtained by Dr. Charles H. Veo, with an average of 98, and on Saturday night (the 19th) C. Kenneth Veo rolled up the remarkable score for three high strings selected with the figure of 358.

The next tournament will begin in the first week in January for both ladies and gentlemen, and it is hoped that there will be as large an entry for the winter series as for the fall series, when there were eight teams of ladies and nine teams of men.

On Wednesday, the 23rd, one of the largest attended formal dances was held at a Christmas assembly, there being nearly 200 in the house. There was an unusual charm and snap to the music and the tripping of the light fantastic toes, and at midnight the spirit was still at full height, everyone regretting that "Home, Sweet Home" must be played.

Thursday, the 24th, neighborhood night being the night before Christmas, brought out a small number of the faithful, and the open house on Christmas day led a number to enter into the bowling, billiards, and other indoor sports. On Saturday, the 26th, the stag luncheon brought out nearly 100, and bowling continued until midnight.

On Wednesday afternoon the 30th, Mrs. John W. Field was in charge of the children's Christmas party. There were over 125 young folks present, and they were all happy in the dances, the pianist entering into the spirit of the day. The special entertainer, a magician, bewildered the children with his adept fingers and strange tricks, and at four o'clock the entire group of happy youngsters went to the dining room for light refreshments. Mrs. Field and her associates, among whom were Mrs. W. C. Bamburg and the Misses Bamburg, Mrs. Fred F. Mann and Mrs. Clyde Carpenter deserve much credit for their satisfactory entertainment to so many little ones.

Last evening about 100 members and guests sat down to a brilliant New Year's Eve dinner, and shortly after eight o'clock the party was augmented by the arrival of about thirty couples more, who entered into the New Year's Eve dance until the old year was dead or forgotten. The success of this dinner party falls to the credit of Mr. Fred Mann, and many special features were imported by him for the entertainment of the dinner guests. So the year 1914 closed with great success, to be credited to the entertainment committee. The matrons were Mrs. William O. Hunt, Mrs. I. W. Fitzpatrick, and Mrs. Herbert G. Ripley.

On Wednesday, January 6, there will be a musical with a program of rare excellence.

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Newton Highlands

—Ten-inch ice is being cut on Crystal Lake this week.

—Mr. Fred C. Moore of Meredith avenue, Elliot, has been ill the past week.

—Mr. G. H. Noyes of Rockledge road sailed this week for London on a business trip.

—The C. L. S. C. met with Miss Marion Morse of Allerton road, Monday afternoon.

—Mr. T. Frank Willey has purchased the J. H. Green drug store on Lincoln street.

—Mr. C. H. Clark and family of Lake avenue have been spending the week at Palmer, Mass.

—The next meeting of the C. L. S. C. will be held next Monday with Miss Morse on Allerton road.

—Mr. Allan P. Salmon of Pittsburg, Pa., has been visiting at his home on Walnut street this week.

—Mr. J. H. Tracy of Winthrop is to build a two family house on Centre street near Walnut street.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lentell of Boylston street have returned from a visit to their daughter at Niagara Falls.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lon Sherman of Maine, formerly of this village, have been visiting friends here this week.

—Mr. P. E. Walker of Floral street returned this week from Ontario, Canada, where he went to attend the funeral of his mother.

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—Mr. Clark Hyde of Colorado Springs, Col., has been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. E. W. Hyde of Floral street the past week.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Kerr of Providence, R. I., have been spending the week as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Peckham of Rockledge.

—The Christmas tree for the young members of the Congregational Church Sunday School was held last Friday afternoon in the vestry of the church.

—Mrs. Eliza A. Thomas, widow of John C. Thomas, died Dec. 28th. Funeral services which were private were held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Johnson, 84 Grove street, Auburndale, on Wednesday afternoon.

—At the meeting of the Men's League in the Congregational chapel next Thursday evening, Dr. David Snedden, State Commissioner of Education will speak on "Some Recent Developments in Education" and which will be followed by a discussion opened by Supt. Wheeler of the Newton schools.

—Death followed in close succession Christmas week to two members of the family of Mrs. David A. Cox, 1120 Walnut street. Her father, James Watson, a life-long member of the staff of the Bank of British North America, died at his home in Montreal on the 22nd and her elder brother, Arthur W. Watson, who was a branch manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce having suffered from an accident which terminated fatally a few days prior.

—A Community Christmas tree in front of the Congregational Church last Thursday evening was the largest celebration of the kind ever held in the village. The affair was under the joint auspices of the Men's League of the Congregational Church, St. Paul's Episcopal Church and the Methodist Church. In the early evening about 150 men and women sang Christmas carols about the tree accompanied by Mr. Eliot H. Robinson, cornetist. The singers then divided into several groups and went to the various sections of the village singing carols. Many houses through the town were handsomely illuminated.

CITY HALL NOTES

Mr. Amos D. Albee, the public accountant is making the usual examination of the books of the city treasurer.

The mayor and aldermen of 1914 were photographed Wednesday afternoon by Chickering.

City Solicitor Stocum, who has been for some weeks at a Brookline Hospital, has so far recovered as to be able to return to his home yesterday.

Former City Clerk, Col. Isaac F. Kingsbury, and his wife will celebrate their golden wedding next Monday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Vladimir Simkhovitch in New York.

LODGES

Dalhousie Lodge, F. & A. M. held a Past Masters' night on Wednesday, the various chairs being filled by past masters of the lodge. A banquet was served early in the evening which was largely attended and at which entertainment was furnished by a male quartet and a humorist.

On January 14 there will be an organ recital under the auspices of Dalhousie Lodge, with a program by Marshall S. Bidwell, organist, Marcia West Lewis, contralto, and Ruby L. Randall, violinist. Ladies are invited and the concert will be followed by dancing.



NEWTON LADIES HOME CIRCLE

Next regular meeting on Thursday, Jan. 7th, at 2 P. M., in G. A. R. hall, Newtonville. Plans and arrangements for coming sale to be decided.

The second in the winter series of popular Home Circle whist parties will be given on Monday, Jan. 11th at 2.30 P. M. in G. A. R. hall, Newtonville. Please keep this date in mind.

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Lower Falls

—On Tuesday evening of last week the Community Club gave a Christmas tree entertainment to all the children who took part in the pageant last fall. Carols were sung by Miss Niles and stories told by Mrs. John Cronin, of Roxbury, in the dim glow of the many electric lights on the tree. Santa Claus appeared on the scene and distributed oranges and bags of candy, at the same time receiving confidences from many of the little ones. After a generous treat of ice-cream the children went home very happy in knowing that their efforts to help the club had been so highly appreciated.

CARTER—HOBART

Mr. Richard B. Carter of Otis street Newtonville, was married on Monday night at Cincinnati, Ohio, to Miss Elizabeth Hobart of that city. The wedding took place in the Church of the Jerusalem. Rev. L. G. Hoeck, rector performed the ceremony, assisted by Rev. John Goddard of Newtonville, Mass. former rector, and a close friend of the Hobart family.

The bride wore white crepe de melle, with train. Her tulle veil was caught up with orange blossoms. Miss Evelyn Carter of West Newton was a bridesmaid. The groom's brother, Mr. Philip Walker Carter of West Newton, was best man and Mr. Gifford Le Clear of Boston was a groomsmen. Mr. Hubert Carter of Newtonville was among the ushers.

After a trip to the West, Mr. and Mrs. Carter will reside in Newtonville, Mass.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS

Miss Grace M. Burt, Editor

There is only space this week to wish all GRAPHIC readers and the club women in particular a Happy New Year. To make this year of 1915 better than its predecessors is the desire of us all, as it always is when we take away the last year's calendar and place the new one in its stead. As we turn over the traditional new leaf may we have more wisdom for our work and more devotion to it.

Local Announcements

The Newton Highlands Shakespeare Club will meet with Miss Mary Newhall of Hartford street, tomorrow, Saturday afternoon, when the study of "Henry VIII" will be begun under the direction of Miss Mary Sweeney.

On Saturday, Jan. 2, the members of the Newton Highlands Monday Club will make their annual pilgrimage to the Newton City Home. Those who are going are asked to meet at the residence of Rev. George G. Phipps, Walnut street, at two o'clock.

The regular meeting of the club will be held with Miss Amanda Webster of Chester street on Monday, Jan. 4.

Miss Marion Morse will be hostess for the meeting of the Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. next Monday afternoon, when Irish Music will be the subject of study.

The Newton Parliamentary Law Club meets in the hall of the Newton Library on Tuesday, Jan. 5, at 10.15 A. M.

Miss Mary C. Wiggins will speak before the Abundant Woman's Club next Tuesday afternoon, in Burr School hall.

On Jan. 5 Mr. Havrah W. L. Hubbard will address the Newtonville Woman's Guild on "Lohengrin."

The Social Science Club will hold its monthly business meeting on Wednesday morning.

On Wednesday, Jan. 6, the Pierian Club will meet with Mrs. Chadwick.

On Jan. 8 the West Newton Women's Educational Club will observe its thirty-fifth anniversary at Players' Hall. Mrs. George Winslow Perkins, president of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs, will be the guest of honor and the presidents and secretaries of federated clubs will also be guests. An attractive program including a dramatic reading of Disraeli by Miss Frances Nevin has been arranged.

Local Happenings

The sixth meeting of the Travel Class of the West Newton Women's Educational Club was held on Dec. 23 at the home of Mrs. McLean. The history of Egypt during the Middle Ages was briefly reviewed in papers by Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Phipps and Mrs. Billings. After dwelling at length on Old Cairo, to illustrate the life of ancient times, Mrs. Phipps called attention to some recent occurrences thereby linking the past to the present and adding much interest.

A feature of the afternoon was a celebration of the seventy-eighth birthday of one of the most interested members, Mrs. S. M. Diamond. A birthday cake decorated with silver lighted candles was brought in and enjoyed while verses of congratulation and good wishes were contributed by each member. The following lines concluded the festivities:

"She tells us that she's seventy-eight,
Her silvered hair says sixty,
Her rosy cheeks, her sparkling eyes,
Proclaim her not yet fifty."

Her wisdom ripe and judgment sound
Would scarcely seem quite forty-five,
But scan her home, taste her cream pies,
You'll say 'She's thirty and quite alive.'

No wrinkles make her brow serene,
She's handsome we'll admit,
And when we hear her joyous laugh
Just twenty seems to fit.

Her heart is young as any girl's,
Then isn't not plainly seen,
Though seventy-eight long years she'd
Lived.

She's really 'sweet sixteen!'"

Mrs. W. E. Moore entertained the Newton Highlands Shakespeare Club at its last meeting. The work for the afternoon was under the efficient guidance of Mrs. Herbert Drew, who considered the reign of King Henry VIII, preparatory to the study of Shakespeare's play Wolsey was King Henry's best councillor, a great advocate of peace and the greatest of English diplomatists. Although he was dependent on the capricious king for his power, he raised England from a secondary power to what it is today. After the fall of Wolsey the chief advisors of the king were two very remarkable men, Crammer, who sent forth the English Bible and the English Prayer Book and Thomas Cromwell, who founded the English navy. In Henry's treatment of his wives, whether they were guilty or innocent, he was a monster of cruelty. But with all his faults and inconsistencies it ought to be remembered that he guided England through a most dangerous and exciting crisis with energy and success.

It was necessary for the Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. to make an exchange in its program for the meeting last Monday afternoon and instead of meeting with Miss Morse as previously announced, Miss Anna Thompson of Hartford street, president of the club, opened her home and the time was spent under the leadership of Mrs. Darius Cobb in reading from the poets of Ireland.

Prof. Charles Zueblin was the speaker at the meeting of the Newton Mothers' Club held at the home of Mrs. Henry D. Lloyd of Grove Hill avenue on Dec. 28. Prof. Zueblin took for his subject "The Nation's Human Resources" and under that topic touched upon the life of the individual, taking proper care of it, upon the problems of labor and upon the conservation of children, the lowering of the death rate among them and other problems closely related to these. There was the customary social hour at the close.

The Abundant Review Club met on Tuesday morning, Dec. 29, in the Congregational chapel. Mrs. May Sleeper Ruggles sang two Christmas songs, one of which, a lullaby, was written in 1649.

The lecturer was Miss Mabel Hill, director of post-graduate work at Dana Hall, Wellesley, whose subject was "Woman's Share in Citizenship." She spoke of the responsibility of mothers in making the home attractive, that the boys and girls may not wish to go outside for amusement. She pleaded for the good old-fashioned home where there was work for the children to do. She suggested the leading of the children to go out to their needy neighbors with their talents of music and literature and to loan their books to other children, that a spirit of good fellowship might be fostered.

Miss Hill spoke optimistically of the war and said if nothing more were accomplished, the men from India were having a chance to see France, which they never could have done otherwise. In closing she referred to the subject of suffrage, her belief being that the vote for women is surely coming and begged that they take it seriously and prepare for its advent.

On Wednesday afternoon the Pierian Club met at the home of Mrs. J. K. Hemphill. Mrs. Joseph Temperley took the subject, "Nova Scotia." Mrs. Ryder, "New Brunswick." Mrs. Easterbrook, "Prince Edward Island," and Mrs. Ernest Gallison, "The Acadians."

The program for the meeting of the Social Science Club on Wednesday morning merited a much larger attendance than was given it, for seldom, if ever, have there been brought to Newton on one occasion so many representatives of the real working force of the State Federation than were present that morning. Representatives from ten of the twelve standing committees were present to tell of the aims and work of the respective departments.

Miss Helen A. Whittier, a former president of the State Federation, and chairman of the Art department, was the first speaker. Miss Whittier stated that her committee is striving to show how to understand and enjoy pictures even to extract their beauty, rather than to study about them. She urged clubwomen to support and encourage the Boston Museum of Fine Arts one way being to subscribe \$10 for a ticket, which will admit four persons free at any time to the Museum. It is a civic duty, she said, to help support it, since it depends entirely upon private support, the City of Boston not being allowed to appropriate to make any appropriations to it from public funds.

The Civil Service Reform committee was represented by Mrs. Edward I. Langell of West Medford, who spoke of her committee as the most difficult one in which to interest the clubs. She gave a brief resume of the history of Civil Service Reform, saying that the need of reform in this matter was first realized after the assassination of President Garfield. She said that her committee is aiming to place more officials under civil service rules in order to keep up the standard of efficiency. They have persistently fought the Spanish War Veterans bill. She urged the formation of such a committee in every club to help create public opinion, for the clubs to help get bills extending the civil service passed and to see that they are enforced when they are passed.

Mrs. John Amee of Cambridge at very short notice took the place of the chairman of Civil Service and mentioned briefly the different phases of work in works in which her committee is interested, the new branch being urged this year is the appointment of police women. Other subjects mentioned were, City and Town Planning, School Buildings as Recreation Centres, Playgrounds, Junior Civic Leagues, Juvenile Courts and probation officers. She dwelt particularly upon her own special phase of the work, Recreation Centres and told what has been done both in New York and in Boston in this matter. She then told of a piece of work which her club, Cantabrigia of Cambridge, has been able to do for the children of the high schools of her city, the providing at very small cost to each pupil a course of three Shakespeare readings by Marshall Darrach, given in one of the school halls. Over 800 tickets were taken and very few of the children missed a single reading. San Francisco has since followed her club's example as has also a New York club.

The Education department was represented by the acting chairman, Mrs. W. S. Ripley, Jr. Among the subjects which are occupying the attention of this department were mentioned, Rural Schools, Vocational and Pre-Vocational training, Education of the Immigrant, Preparation for Citizenship, Peace, Home and School Associations, Moving Pictures, Better Newspapers and the Study of Local History. Pre-vocational training was explained as the giving of an opportunity for the children to work in several of the manual arts during the grammar grades, so that they will have a chance to judge which one will be best suited to the particular pupil. This will result in an economy of time for the student. She told of work in Wakefield in the way of lectures in Italian and Polish on American ideals and history for the direct education of immigrants. The offering of prizes to school children for the best essays on subjects of local history was suggested.

The short time given Mrs. S. F. Heron, chairman of the Home Economics department, was spent in telling why clubs need Home Economics departments and how to go about it. The

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HATTIE L. GOODWIN,
Executrix.
(Address)
76 Austin Street, Newtonville, Mass.
December 22, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Phillip Charles Hunter late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to me.

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A BRACKETT & SON, NEWTON**Auburndale**

—Auburndale Co-Operative Bank. New shares on sale, pay 5%.

—Mr. Leonard Nason is spending the holidays at his home on Commonwealth avenue.

—Mr. John Draper of Vista avenue has returned from Dartmouth for the Christmas vacation.

—Miss C. A. Carter of Honolulu is a guest for the remainder of the winter season at the Woodland Park hotel.

—Miss Sarah E. Estabrooke of Central street was a holiday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beall Richey of Brookline.

—Dr. S. Sanford Orr of Weston entertained twelve guests at a dinner party on Christmas Day at the Woodland Park hotel.

—Mrs. H. H. Smith, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Hollis of Central street has returned to her home in Hartford.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Foss have closed their residence on Brae-Burn road and will spend the remainder of the winter season in Boston.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Speare and son, George Speare of Winchendon, were holiday guests of Mrs. Speare's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Ingraham at the Woodland Park hotel.

—A party of young girls from the Junior Auxiliary at the Church of the Messiah were singing carols on Christmas eve. They visited Mr. Beal, Mrs. St. Amant, their president, Mrs. Whitehead, Mrs. Turner and others, and their voices sounded very sweet.

—The Yuletide decorations at the Congregational Church were especially attractive and consisted of potted pink begonias and pink carnations festooned with scarlet ribbons, and backed by dark laurel leaves, making a combination both artistic and effective.

—A Fellowship meeting will be held this evening at quarter before eight in the Congregational chapel. It will take the place of the pastor's annual reception, and will be an informal gathering for the exchange of New Year's greetings between church members and their friends.

—Miss Katherine M. Plummer died quite suddenly on Christmas Day at the home of her sister, Mrs. John B. Chapin on Commonwealth avenue at the age of 69 years. Funeral services were conducted by Mr. Keach of the Christian Science Church on Monday and the interment was at the Newton cemetery.

—The children of the Episcopal Sunday School were entertained Tuesday evening in the Parish Hall. They had a supper and music and games and a stereopticon exhibition.

—The younger classes had their party Wednesday afternoon, and were entertained by their teachers Miss Turner and Miss Josephine Burgess. The refreshments were served by the Society of Parish Workers.

—A vesper service with a musical program of exceptional excellence was held Sunday evening at the Congregational Church. Rev. William C. Gordon gave an address, and the choir was assisted by Miss Pickard, violinist, who recently returned from Berlin. The program included violin solos, "Aria" by Bach and "Romanza" by Gounod; Offertory, "Ancient Christmas Carol," Dethier arrangement; Postlude, "Triumphal March," by Lemmens. Anthems, "O Come, Redeemer," and "It Came Upon the Midnight" with violin obligato by Mrs. H. A. Beach; and Carol service "The First Christmas." There was a large attendance.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS

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tion. An amusing predicament of a young nurse who needed a birth certificate was related. All the record to be found was that a man child had been born at the time she was, and upon calling her father home from a hunting trip to swear as to her birth, it was discovered that he had not been present, but was in Japan at the time, so that his help was of no avail. Another point, which the chairman asked of clubs, is to look into the question of a health certificate and to make sure that one is issued with the work certificate which children must have in order to enter employment.

It is needless to say that the morning was full to overflowing with interest and the hearings of the whole thing at one time, while mentally somewhat exhausting, gives a breadth of view and insight into the work of the Federation that it is impossible to obtain in any other way.

The guests together with the chairman of the corresponding committees in the Social Science Club were entertained at luncheon at the home of Mrs. L. S. Drake, the president of the club.

Mrs. G. V. Phipps of Kent road was the hostess for the meeting of the Waban Woman's Club on Monday afternoon, when the Rev. Howard M. Bridgman, editor of the Congregationalist, lectured on Current Events. The president, Mrs. George M. Angier, spoke of the Community Christmas Tree which was held on Mr. A. H. Willis's grounds on Christmas Eve and of the enthusiasm of the other presidents. A note of thanks from Mrs. Frith for the work of the club was read and an announcement made of the Silver Tea on New Year's Day.

Among the achievements of the year Mr. Bridgman noted the cutting and completion of the Panama Canal—a world event, the growth of Pan Americanism since the A. B. C. Convention, the celebration of the Treaty of Ghent on Christmas Eve affected by the war, the progress of temperance, four more states added to the 14 prohibition states making 72 per cent of the area of the country dry, more interest taken in industrial matters and in those of hygiene and prison reform, and the movement toward unity in church.

What can we get of hope from the war?" by calling attention to the devotion of human life to the call of duty, to the existence of moral and spiritual exaltation, to the outpouring of sympathy and help, to the fact that life has become more simple, that people have grown nearer one another and that a keener ethical sense regarding war has arisen.

Plans for a new world order are being considered. New civilization must be built on a world patriotism, International morality must be observed, disputes must be settled by the conscience of the world, and the aim of nations must be not to exploit but to serve one another. Mr. Bridgman closed with a plan for peace thoughts, words and deeds.

Charles C. Blaney and Mrs. Hubert R. Lane presided at the tea.

N. H. S.

Steve Hopkins, the former Newton High and Harvard hockey star who is now connected with the B. A. A. seven, has been chosen as the third official on the Interscholastic Hockey league board.

The total enrollment in the Senior class is 167. This is an exceptional class there being one more boy than girls. The class of 1915 has a larger membership than the Sophomore class.

Grace Furdon, one of our former graduates, and an assistant to Dr. E. W. Bradford, Dean of the Harvard Medical School, Back Bay.

P. H. Underhill, '14, of Newton Centre, was recently initiated into the Phi Theta fraternity at Wesleyan University, Middletown, Conn.

A course in "Local Industries" is being given by Mr. Dolan to his two classes of Freshmen. There are about 35 boys in each class. The boys go to different factories in Newton and question the managers. They report on their visits to the class through written themes, and try to answer any questions put to them. "Local Industries" comes twice a week, and the subject is an addition to the Business course.

A graduate of the school who is serving as assistant in the hospital corps of the German Army is the "War Correspondent" as the "Review." The "Review" has received much well-deserved praise of his letters.

Manager Bruner of the Newton High School track team has announced his schedule of meets for the indoor season. Lowell High, which has usually occupied a place on the program, is not included this winter. The schedule follows: Jan. 23, Coast Artillery meet at South Army; Jan. 29, Interclass meet at Newtonville; Feb. 12, Dorchester High at Newtonville; Feb. 19, Boston College High at Newtonville; Feb. 27, B. A. A. schoolboy meet at Mechanics Building, Boston.

AGRY-STUTSON

An interesting social event of the week was the wedding of Miss Marian Augusta Stutson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Stutson, of Fountain street, West Newton, and Mr. Warren Cram Agry, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Agry of Park street, Newton.

The ceremony took place Tuesday evening at the First Unitarian Church at West Newton and was performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. Julian C. Jaynes.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, and was attended by her sister, Mrs. Robert Diserans of Fort Wayne, Ind., as matron of honor, and Miss Louise Emerson of Newton, as maid of honor.

The flower girl was Elizabeth Tent of Brookline.

Mr. George C. Agry of New York, the bridegroom's brother was best man and the ushers were Messrs. William S. Carlisle of Bridgeport, Conn., classmates of the bridegroom, Jack Macey of New York, John Pearson of Concord, N. H., and H. Bigelow Hills of Wellesley Hills.

A largely attended reception followed the ceremony in the parish house. On their return from a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Agry will reside in Evanston, Ill.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD**TOMATO ECONOMY.**

TOMATOES may be put up in many ways for winter use. They make delicious sweets and are equally nice canned for use as vegetables.

Some Delicious Sweets.

Tomato Butter.—Take ten pounds of skinned tomatoes, four pounds of granulated sugar, three pounds of apples, one quart of vinegar, one-half ounce of stick cinnamon, one-half ounce of ginger, one-fourth ounce of mace, one-fourth ounce of whole cloves. Tie the spices in a bag, put all the ingredients on together and boil three hours, stirring constantly.

Green Tomato Preserve.—Take ten pounds of green tomatoes, add eight pounds of sugar, six lemons and a small box of preserved ginger. Put in the preserving kettle. Have tomatoes and lemons sliced thin. Pick out all the lemon seeds, as they will make it bitter. Do not peel lemons. Add a little water, one cupful or less. Put in ginger. Let this boil a little while; then add sugar. Let it boil slowly on back of range until sirup is thick. If you do not have the preserved ginger handy put in a small handful of dry ginger root. Stir often with a wooden spoon.

Timely Canning Hints.

Tomatoes Canned Whole.—Use medium sized tomatoes, good solid ones, put them in a wire basket, plunge them into boiling hot water, remove the skins and arrange them in wide mouthed jars. Fill the jars with cold water, adjust the rubbers, lay on the covers, stand the jars in a wash boiler, cover the boiler, bring water to boil and boil for ten minutes. Screw on tops, boil five minutes longer and they will taste like fresh tomatoes when used in the winter.

Canned Tomatoes.—Wash tomatoes, plunge into boiling water for five minutes and the skin will slip off without trouble. Slice into the preserving kettle. Set the kettle on an asbestos mat over the fire. Heat slowly to the boiling point, stirring frequently. Have the jars thoroughly sterilized and with fresh rubbers and close fitting tops. Fill with the scalding tomatoes, which have been allowed to cook steadily half an hour from the time they began to boil; then seal.

Anna Thompson

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD**THE HOME LUNCHEON.**

LUNCHEON MENU.
Green Pea Soup.
Corn Bread.
Cabbage Salad.
Calf's Liver en Casserole.
Jelly Omelet.
Tea.

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Corn Bread.—Take three eggs, beaten light; two cupfuls sour milk, three tablespoonfuls melted butter or lard, three tablespoonfuls sugar, one small teaspoonful salt, one teaspoonful soda. Mix well with cornmeal to make a thin batter. Bake in shallow pan for half an hour in hot oven.

A Simple Salad.

Cabbage Salad.—Chop one-half medium sized cabbage quite fine. Let it stand in ice water one hour, adding a tablespoonful of salt. Beat two eggs in a bowl, add to them one cupful of vinegar, three tablespoonfuls of butter, a little pepper and one tablespoonful of mustard. Put the bowl in a pan of boiling water and stir constantly until it begins to thicken. Remove from the fire and add two teaspoonfuls of sugar. Drain cabbage and pour the hot dressing over it. This should be eaten cold.

Cooked With Vegetables.

Calf's Liver en Casserole.—Take a frying pan and in it slowly fry out four or five slices of fat salt pork until the pork is crisp and brown. Add to the hot fat one dozen balls cut out of potatoes, one dozen balls carrots, one stalk celery, diced; six finely sliced onions. Cook very slowly for ten minutes, by which time they should be a delicate brown. Place in the casserole. Wash and cut a calf's liver in slices, lay on top of the vegetables, sprinkle salt and pepper over all and add a pint of boiling water and one tablespoonful of kitchen bouquet. Cover and cook in a moderate oven about an hour and serve. The cover of the casserole should not be removed after the vegetables are put in until the dish is ready to serve, lest the flavor be lost.

A Delicious Dessert.

Jelly Omelet.—Take five eggs, one tablespoonful of butter, one-third cupful of milk, one glass of soft jelly, one level teaspoonful of salt. Separate eggs, beat whites stiff, beat yolks thick, fold in whites lightly. Put butter in frying pan in the stove. When hot mix milk and salt into the egg mixture and pour into the frying pan. Cover and cook slowly until omelet is well puffed and browned. Bake one minute in a hot oven to try top. Spread jelly over one half, fold, turn on hot platter and serve immediately.

Anna Thompson

HOLIDAY PARTY

The annual holiday party, which is always an event of unusual interest at the Church of the New Jerusalem, was held Wednesday evening in the church parlors on Highland avenue, Newtonville.

The Yuletide decorations of evergreen and poinsettias were most attractive, and about two hundred guests assembled to enjoy the festivities.

There was an entertainment for the children which consisted of stereopticon pictures and Christmas tree exercises with a distribution of gifts, which was in charge of Mrs. Philip Walker Carter of West Newton, Mrs. Raymond Carter of Newton, and Mrs. E. M. Lawrence Gould of Newtonville.

The evening closed with dancing and a delightful program of music was furnished by Miss Miriam Niver. The affair was very successful and enjoyable and was in charge of Mrs. Carl Whittemore of Newton.

The refreshments were served under the direction of Mr. C. E. Gould Capon.

NEW YEAR'S DANCE

The social event of the week at the Woodland Park Hotel was the annual New Year's celebration and dance held on Thursday evening. The ball room presented a gay and festive appearance with its beautiful Yuletide decorations, and delightful music was furnished by the hotel orchestra.

An entertainment was given in the early part of the evening, after which the guests danced the Old Year out and the New Year in from 9 until 12.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the stock holders of the First National Bank of West Newton, Newton, Mass., will be held at their banking rooms on Tuesday, January 12, 1915, at 3.30 P. M., for the election of Directors and transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

(Signed) JOSEPH B. ROSS, Cashier. West Newton, December 4, 1914. Advt.

LODGES

At the annual banquet and meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons in Massachusetts, last Monday, Mr. Howard M. North was appointed Senior Grand Steward and Mr. Fred M. Blanchard Junior Grand Steward and Dr. William O. Hunt was reappointed the District Deputy Grand Master for this Masonic district.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION

The new officers of J. Wiley Edwards Camp Sons of Veterans will be publicly installed next Wednesday evening in G. A. R. Hall, Newtonville. A large silk flag, the cost of which was recently raised by public subscription, will be presented on that occasion.

MR. BULLENS DEAD

Mr. Albert N. Bullens, formerly in the wool business and more recently connected with the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, died yesterday morning at his home at 52 Bennington street, Newton. He had been ill more than a year. Mr. Bullens was born in Chicopee sixty-five years ago. In 1868 he became a salesman for the wool firm of J. C. Howe & Co. of Boston. In 1876 he went to New York to enter the employ of a wool inspector and seven years later embarked in business for himself.

In 1896 he entered the employ of the telephone company and when his active business life ended he was assistant superintendent of the contract department. In this capacity he had charge of such important contracts as those of the Government, of the railroads and telegraph companies. Mr. Bullens's wife died several years ago and he is survived by two sons, Messrs. A. Sawyer Bullens of Roxbury and Dennison K. Bullens of Philadelphia. He was a member of Dalhousie Lodge, A. F. and A. M., a member of Grace Episcopal Church of Newton and a former president of the Men's Club of that parish.

Funeral services will be held from Grace Church tomorrow morning at eleven o'clock.

FAREWELL DINNER

The annual dinner of the board of aldermen of 1914 was held Wednesday evening at the Brae-Burn Country Club and proved to be one of the most enjoyable of a series of whist enjoyable occasions. President Blakemore was toastmaster and Mayor Childs, City Clerk Grant and Clerk of Committees Brimblecom were the only guests. The various proceedings of the board during the year came in for considerable "knocking" and the retiring aldermen sang their swan songs, amid the sincere regrets of their associates.

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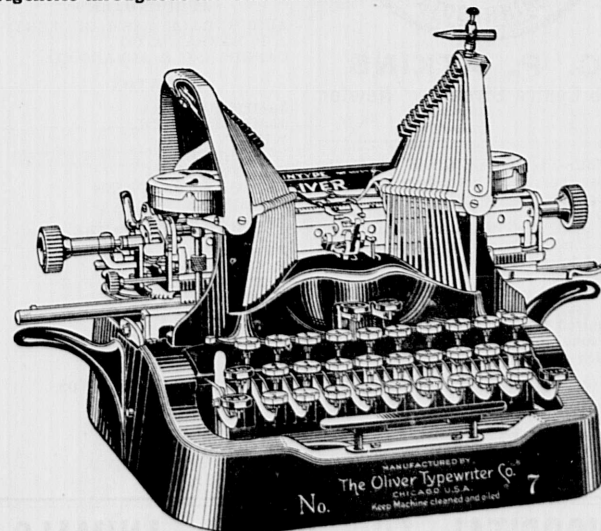
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ADVERTISING SIGNS

Fire Prevention Commissioner Establishes
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Existing advertising signs on the roofs of buildings in the Metropolitan District, as well as those to be erected in the future, are affected by the new rules and regulations for such structures which have been drafted by Fire Prevention Commissioner John A. O'Keefe. It is provided that all existing signs which do not conform to these rules must be made to do so if the head of the Fire Department considers it necessary.

A hearing is to be given by the commissioner upon the new rules in the near future. The new regulations will be in force on Jan. 1, 1915, and apply to Boston, Cambridge, Chelsea, Lynn, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Newton, Belmont, Brookline, Milton, Revere, Salem, Watertown, Winchester and Winthrop. The requirements are as follows:

"No sign or advertising device shall be erected on the roof of a building unless the plan of its construction and erection has been approved by the Building Commissioner or building inspector, and by the head of the Fire Department of the city or town where the sign is to be located."

"The Building Commissioner shall consider the strength of the roof and the safety of persons in the street; the head of the Fire Department shall consider the extent to which the sign may interfere with work by the firemen."

All roof signs and the frames to which they are attached, and on which they rest shall be of noncombustible materials, and if the area of the sign exceeds 200 square feet, it shall be of skeleton form.

Signs shall be placed on the roof at a distance from the wall with which they are parallel equal to two-thirds the elevation of the top of the sign above the roof. The ends of the signs shall be placed not less than five feet from any external wall.

"All fastenings, braces, stays and anchors shall be of wrought or malleable iron and properly secured to the roof timbers."

"When electrical signs are used, a cutout easy of access must be placed on the first floor near entrance to building and conspicuously marked."

"No sign shall be placed so that it will cover any part of a window or other opening in the wall of a building."

"No sign shall be placed on pitch roofs more than 10 per cent grade."

"The bottom of every roof sign shall be at least four feet above the roof, in order to allow free passage over the roof."

"All existing signs or advertising devices on roofs shall be made to conform with the foregoing regulations on the request of the heads of Fire Departments of the respective cities and towns."

ALLSTON THEATRE

After seeing the sixth episode of "The Master Key" at the Allston Theatre this last Monday and Tuesday one could not help but feel that here was a wonderful picture. Unlike other serials which start off at the beginning with great thrills and daring feats, the Master Key began smoothly, working up as the episode came along to what promises to be one of the greatest serials ever produced. Beautiful scenery such as is shown in the mining scenes one does not see every place, the ins and outs of chinatown, and in the next episode, the 7th, which will be shown at this theatre next Monday and Tuesday, will be shown not only some thrills but views of the great exposition grounds of the San Francisco World's Fair. Don't miss this one. The complete story leading up to the episode being shown is given at every performance.

NONANTUM SQUARE IMPROVEMENT

(Continued from Page 1.)

with possibly one exception, of ample depth. Such arcing to relieve congested areas has been tried with success abroad. It has been frequently suggested in this country, but rarely, if ever, attempted. If Newton should be in a sense the pioneer in a successful scheme of this kind, it would serve as an object lesson to other communities and redound to her credit.

3. We would then provide, in the centre of the square, for physical connection between the Middlesex & Boston, and the Boston Elevated systems, with an "island," and covered transfer places, somewhat similar to those at Brookline Village and Coolidge Corner. This work to be done by the electric railway companies, or by them and the city jointly.

4. We believe that the foregoing measures will be effective in reducing the congestion and danger for the present, and the immediate future, but with a look farward ahead we would suggest the filing of a plan for a new street, though no land need now be taken thereunder.

5. The new street leads not only to Galen street and toward Watertown, but to a direct connection with Jefferson street. We would provide (not by any immediate expenditure, but by filing a plan, and establishing a building line) for the widening of Jefferson street, as shown on the plan, for that street will become the natural route to the new Metropolitan Boulevard, when built. Thus the proposed new street, and the widened Jefferson street will provide for practically all of the vehicle traffic between the new boulevard and points west of the Square.

In a supplementary report the board goes further into the possible expense involved and estimates the damages at a total of \$175,600, for the proposed taking on the south side.

The board makes two recommendations, one to take the entire triangle on the south side under the Excess Condemnation law, and after the proposed widening there would be an area of some 34,000 feet for sale which it believes would be worth at least \$250 a foot.

In a summarized statement the board estimates one plan as costing

a total of \$222,100 of which \$175,600 is land damages, it estimates an income of \$86,110 from selling the balance of the land, the value of certain buildings retained at \$57,000, betterments which may be assessed at \$36,157 leaving a net cost to the city of \$42,833.

Another plan which contemplates destruction of all the present buildings and selling the remaining land at \$3.00 a foot, estimates the cost at \$210,100 of which \$175,600 is for land damages, and an income of \$103,329 from the sale of land, \$36,157 from betterments and a net cost to the city of \$70,614.

Some interesting statistics are included in the report of the traffic through the square during the same two hours in the afternoon on three days last summer, Decoration day, a week day, and a Sunday. The following tables give the figures in comparative form.

From the West To	To	Water. N. Cen.
May 30	34	32
Week day	33	21
Sunday	33	25
From the South To	To	Water. N. Cen.
May 30	8	43
Week day	23	46
Sunday	9	49
From the East To	To	Water. N. Cen.
May 30	12	35
Week day	29	50
Sunday	3	20
From the North To	To	Water. N. Cen.
May 30	41	28
Week day	48	23
Sunday	67	19

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WOMAN AND PEACE

From an Address by the Late Justice Brewer of the United States Supreme Court

The last half century has changed the position of woman. She is no longer a purely home body, but has entered largely into public life. Whether voting or not, she has become an active and vigorous force in the national life. Her patriotism is as certain and as strong as that of her brother, and whenever the need comes, although she may not shoulder the musket or draw the sword, she does all that is possible to ameliorate the hardships of war. The Red Cross is her work and her glory, and the noble hands of women who are giving their time and strength to increasing its efficiency and extending the reach of its influence are among the heroines of the nation. But while all this is true, you need no assurance that her voice is and always will be potent for peace. No mother nurses her baby boy and rears him to manhood without dread that his life may in its prime be cut off by the merciless bullet. She looks forward to old age in the hope and faith that that boy, in the vigor and strength of manhood, will be her comfort, support and glory. There never was a time since the beginning of days that woman longed for bloodshed or the carnage of war, and the more fully she realizes its waste and destruction the more earnest will become her opposition. Nowhere in the world is she so potent a force in public life as in this country, and you may be sure that that force will be ere long concentrated in steadfast opposition to war and in favor of the settlement of international disputes by arbitration. She cannot be sneered or laughed out of her faith, and he who looks for public recognition in this country will do well to take note of this fact.

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THE MAYOR'S ADDRESS

At the Inauguration of the Board of Aldermen, January 1st

Gentlemen of the Board of Aldermen:

I wish each one of you and every man, woman and little child in this city a very Happy New Year and I am sure that the best wishes of all of us go out to Mr. Slocum, our City Solicitor, who upon this New Year's day is numbered with the shut-ins.

For the first time our municipal year begins on the first secular day in January, making both our municipal and financial years begin at practically the same time.

This is in accordance with Chapter 105 of the Acts of last year's Legislature which amended our revised City Charter.

As servants of all the people of this city, we, who have been sworn to the faithful performance of our duties, meet today to take up the management of city affairs.

Upon the coming together of the Board of Aldermen it has been the custom for the Mayor to review briefly the doings of the past and to make suggestions for the future; and in presenting this my second annual communication I realize that I am addressing men, some of whom have had a much larger experience in municipal affairs than have I.

The year which has just passed has been one of the hardest but happiest years of my life.

To those of you in this Board who have tried to help me I am very grateful. Conferences held with you and suggestions made by you have been both an inspiration and a help.

I have not the words at my command to adequately express my gratitude to the Heads of Departments and the employees at City Hall for the very great assistance which they, without exception, have given me, and for the conscientiousness with which they have attended to every duty in their respective departments.

Their kindness and their cheerfulness have made travel over a rough road delightful.

As I stand here today I miss several faces in the Board which I saw when I addressed you one year ago. Aldermen Blakemore, Barker, Bemis and Richardson have retired after years of exceptional service to this city, recollection of which ought to be a source of great satisfaction to them in days to come.

I believe that all of our people appreciate what they and others and some of you have done for this city without compensation.

The reward for public service well rendered is more service and I trust that our city or the Commonwealth may have the service of some of them at some future time.

Personally, I regret very much their going, but, at the same time I welcome most heartily those who take their places as new members of this Board.

To render such unselfish service as these retiring members have rendered may well be the aim and ambition of us all.

I commend to each one of you Ex-Alderman Blakemore's manner of fighting in legislative matters.

Those who have studied him observe that he always fights in the open, with all his cards on the table. He doesn't work under cover or stab in the back.

His method has won the commendation of even his enemies because he fights like a man.

I welcome you, Alderman Hollis most cordially to this Board. You and I have been friends, yes pals, for thirty years.

We have lived and played and worked together.

It was urged against you before your election that you were to be the Mayor's spokesman.

You know that the Mayor needs no spokesman; and the Mayor knows that when he is right you will be with him and when he is wrong you will be against him and he wants you to.

He is glad, however, to have in this body one man who really knows him as he is.

To the new members of the Board I wish to give the benefit of my experience during the past year in one particular. It may help you and put you on your guard.

There are three groups of men in this city whom you will be expected to please. You can't please all the men in every group.

First there is a group of some five or six hundred voters—good and upright men—who have either held office or who have been closely associated with those who have directed the political game in Newton for years—the machine men so called of all parties, the men who follow leaders.

Then there is another group which is most interesting—fewer in numbers and yet they make themselves heard and their influence felt. Men that are equally as upright and honest as those in the first group mentioned, but men who believe that they are in direct communication with the Almighty and that He speaks through them.

They are men of prayer and therefore men of power.

I know many of them; some of them I love. I fully appreciate their earnestness because I have spent much time on my knees in prayer with some of them. And what they say is so true to what may be true that one who is seeking the right answer to a given problem must listen at least to them.

And yet when any man tells me that he has had a direct revelation from God as to what I ought to do I always think of a young man of whom I once heard.

He lived in the country and worked with his father on the old farm. One night he had a vision and as he dreamed there appeared before him with great brilliancy the letters "P. C."

In the morning he told his father of the experience which had come to him and informed him that those letters meant "Preach Christ," and that he must prepare for that mission.

He left the old farm much against his father's judgment, went to college, attended the Seminary and entered the sacred calling of the ministry.

He was a miserable failure from the very start.

After trying without success several parishes he, at last, chagrined and discouraged, went back to the old home and took up the work that he had left alongside of his father on the farm. Success crowned his efforts from the start. Everything to which he put his hand succeeded. The world began to look different to him. He prospered and thrived. One night after a most successful day he was sitting around the old fireside talking over with his father the experiences of earlier days.

In the course of the conversation his father said, "Bill do you remember that vision which you had just before you left us and went to college?"

Bill allowed that he did. And the old man said, "Bill, I always thought that you misinterpreted those initials.

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APPEAL FOR FUNDS

Letter From England Received By Resident Of Waban

To the Editor of the NEWTON GRAPHIC, Sir:

The enclosed extracts from a letter which has recently been received from England may be of interest to your readers. The Ambulance Corps referred to is made up of a group of young men belonging to the Society of Friends. Being Quakers they do not bear arms, and the government, therefore, does not support them financially, although it allows them to serve on a self-supporting basis. For that reason the question of funds for the continuance of their task is a most important one. As their work is entirely humanitarian without regard to nationality, if any of your readers care to contribute, donations may be sent to the writer who will forward them.

Yours respectfully,
WILLIAM C. HOLBROOK,
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"The War drags on at a slow rate, at least it seems so to us who sit at home, and think of our brave fellows who can make such slow progress against superior numbers. You will be interested to know the latest about our own boys. I told you that J. went over to Dunkirk with B's party of Ambulance fellows. They both went as Commandants to carry out the transporting successfully. J. returned on Friday, after the most memorable week's work in his life. When they got to Dunkirk they found 1,000 wounded there already, who had had nothing done to them since they fell, but the merest stopping of flowing wounds. They were lying about in beds at the station, in a condition past description, and no one to attend to them but three or four doctors and ordinary soldiers. The Ambulance men were tired out with being up all the night before, seeing to their transport of stores at Dover, and the splendid work they had done in saving the drowning 'Hermes' men, and were really hoping to go right to bed that night. Instead of that they started instantly. They took from the 'Invicta' (the gunboat the Admiralty gave them for transport) all the supplies they could find, as of course, there were no conveniences in the Station. Their eight doctors and dressers, and well trained carriers, or stretcher-bearers, never stopped working for twenty-four hours when they personally had attended to fifteen hundred of the worst cases, and placed them on the hospital ships waiting to convey them away. Most of them had been three or four days without medical attention, so you can imagine the character of the wounds and the exhaustion of the men. J. went around Dunkirk commandeering blankets to wrap the poor fellows in, and he said the gratitude of all, including some Germans, was most touching. Then the most exciting time of all was when J. and P. took a sally forth—I mustn't say where—to a town that was being shelled. There they saw for the first time what modern war really is. Shells falling just across the street from them, and terror written on the faces of the poor inhabitants. They could not get out again at once so they sought the shelter of a cellar where they slept soundly to the tune of the roar of big guns and bursting shells. J.'s face is a study now. He seems to realize as never before, what we are in for, and the chances for and against. The dogged resistance of our small number.

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BOYD PARK SKATING

Playground Director Hermann Makes Statement Of Condition

Since we have no skating on Boyd Playground the young people, who have enjoyed excellent skating on this playground during the past few years, are very indignant this year because there is to be no skating, and an explanation seems to be in order.

To provide a safe skating rink on the Boyd Playground has never cost less than \$400 and frequently more than \$500 per season. The funds appropriated are never more than \$900 for all the villages which make up the whole city of Newton. To spend practically half of such an appropriation upon Boyd Playground alone is unjust to the other parts of Newton especially since there is also a skating rink provided on the Stearns Playground.

From the point of view of wholesome and health-giving recreation, such an outlay of \$500 for Boyd Playground would by no means be too much of an expense for a city the size of Newton, but considering the size of the total appropriation, such an outlay is extravagant. Considering the fact that a preliminary outlay of not over \$1500 for regrading the Boyd Playground would make the flooding of these grounds an annual expense of \$20.00, it seems to me that we could easily save enough to pay for the change in a few years.

Some people seem to think that the flooding of Boyd Playground can be done at a small expense by closing the culvert at the Watertown end of the playground. If we acted upon this suggestion, we would run the risk of having to pay many thousands of dollars to the town of Watertown and their citizens for damages since it is quite possible that with a sudden thaw, a flood would then sweep over the street and wash away the houses which are situated there. No city official, especially no city engineer who is responsible for such constructions, would give permission for doing the flooding in this manner.

The only safe way for flooding the

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A NEW CITY GOVERNMENT

New Members Take Oath of Office and Elect Alderman Blanchard As Chairman

The city government of 1915 was quietly inaugurated last Friday afternoon, the ceremonies taking place at three o'clock in the presence of a small number of interested citizens.

Mayor Childs, whose term is half completed, administered the oath of office to the members elect of the board of aldermen and delivered the customary address which will be found printed in full in this issue. The new board met at three o'clock and were called to order by City Clerk Grant, Alderman Early being chosen temporary chairman. Mayor Childs was officially notified that the board was in session by a committee composed of Aldermen Murphy, Alley, and Cobb and entered the aldermanic chamber accompanied by Rev. Robert L. Rae and ex-mayor George Hutchinson. Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Rae and the oath of office taken by Aldermen elect Reuben Forknall, and John W. Murphy of ward 1, Harry D. Cabot of ward 2, John S. Alley and George M. Cox of ward 3, Bernard Early and Arthur W. Hollis of ward 4, Ernest G. Hapgood and Joseph W. Bartlett of ward 5, William L. Allen and Robert M. Clark of ward 6, and Henry I. Harriman of ward 7, and to Mr. Everett E. Kent, member of the school committee from ward 7 and was late administered by Mayor Childs to Aldermen George F. Malcolm of ward 2 and Henry W. Jarvis of ward 7.

At the close of the mayor's address, Alderman Fred M. Blanchard of ward 2 was unanimously elected president and took the chair, Mayor Childs retiring. Mr. Blanchard made a brief address, saying in part—

It is to be hoped that 1915 may show as much progress toward the ideal city, as have the past two or three years of actual accomplishment, with the minimum of decorative and useless legislation.

To those of you who are newly elected, I strongly recommend your personal inquiry into all matters of im-



Alderman FRED M. BLANCHARD
President, Board of Aldermen

portance and can assure you that the older members will ever be ready to give you such information as they possess.

Further working harmony between heads of departments and committees is to be desired if the best results are to be accomplished and department heads should be encouraged to understand that the Board wishes to work WITH them for the betterment of their departments and does not intend to criticize, except where the outcome is not clearly stated, or where specific appropriations may interfere with the average available total at our disposal.

Chairmen of committees should consult or invite to be heard all parties rightfully interested in prospective action. Inquiries and studies conducted by members have been of lasting benefit and should not only be continued but special attention should be given to broadening the field of personal investigation. Matters of deepest concern are due for consideration this year. Improvements of considerable cost are projects and each expenditure should receive your closest scrutiny.

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EDITORIAL

It is a matter of regret that Mayor
Childs in his annual address last
year and again the present year, failed
to appreciate the real significance as
well as the dignity of the occasion.
His address last year was a good stump
speech, and better fitted to a political
campaign while the address of this
year is a mixture of a stump speech
and a sermon. As the official address
of a city of the culture and wealth of
Newton the mayor ought to have
thought twice before he asked the
board of aldermen if they would have
"ducked" the Neagle case, and there
are also some other colloquial expres-
sions which are in poor taste in an
official utterance.

There are many points to commend
in the address of last Friday as well
as several points to criticize.

The Mayor is right in saying a good
word for the new accounting depart-
ment and the way it has been admin-
istered. Mr. Daboll has had an un-
usually hard task to adjust the new
system to old methods and has handled
a very difficult situation with
splendid tact. The recommendation to
abolish the monthly grant is also good.
The "grant" system was a part of the
old method of making appropriations
by a preceding city government and
with the change in the law, it has
become a burden instead of an aid
to the proper expenditure of the bud-
get. More policemen and more motor
apparatus for the fire department will
also meet with popular approval and
the proposition to pay Street Depart-
ment employees the same rate of wages
paid in other departments seems equi-
table and just. The mayor very prop-
erly calls attention to the poor condi-
tion of some of our school buildings
and probably will follow up this gen-
eral subject with specific recommenda-
tions in the future. No one depart-
ment of the city has been so unwisely
neglected in the past as the Public
Buildings, and immediate steps should
be taken to restore the city property
to at least a safe condition. To the
members of the city government who
have studied the matter, the mayor's
statement that Ford cars shall be pur-
chased in the future will be most wel-
come. Heretofore the influence of the
department head has been sufficient to
prevent the adoption of a policy in-
tended to reduce the present high cost
of operating city autos. The sugges-
tion of a city manager is in line with
the best thought of the day in munici-
pal administration, but it is hardly
wise for this city, which has a much
higher standard of city government than
the average, to become a pioneer in
this direction. The mayor's sugges-
tion to abolish party designations at
our city elections will meet with
hearty approval in some quarters and
will be equally condemned in others.
Newton has come as near having a
non-partisan city election as would be
possible under present laws and possi-
bly the abolition of party designations
might eliminate whatever of partisan-
ship remains. It is an open question
however, and possible action depends
on one's point of view.

The purchase of the Lower Falls
playground is not a pressing matter,
altho there can be no question but
that the city should eventually own that
property. There is no danger, how-
ever, that the property will change
ownership and its purchase can un-
doubtedly be deferred to a more favor-
able time. The removal of the Lower
Falls hose house to a location where it
will also serve Waban is a wise
recommendation and indirectly calls
attention to the folly of erecting any

Edison and Steinmetz on Cable
Blow-Outs.

Hopes of the Expert for making
safe the transmission of
heavy currents.

Another Eagle-Feather Dropped
by Dickens.

Discovery of the copy of "A
Christmas Carol" used by
Dickens in his famous suit
against the pirates.

William Sharp as a Pair of Twins.

The last explanation of Sharp
himself on the strongest case
of dual personality in all litera-
ture.

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city building in such an unfit location
as that occupied by the Grove street
Hose House.

The mayor devotes considerable
space to a discussion of the Neagle
case and to the injustice (?) done to
that officer by a technical flaw in his
removal from the force. But the
mayor neglects to mention the injustice
done to the city by acts of men like
Neagle, the reflection cast on every
other member of the police force by
his reinstatement, and to the effect the
whole matter has on general repu-
tation of the city through the
state. The attempt, also to hide
behind the skirts of ex-Mayor Hutchin-
son, is hardly commendable, for it is
possible that Mr. Hutchinson may have
made a mistake in the decision which
Mayor Childs deems so just. As a mat-
ter of fact the two cases are hardly
comparable, altho both of them are
classed as petty larceny. Mr. Hutchin-
son dealt with an officer, who finding
a shop door unlocked at night, entered
the building to see if any unauthorized
persons were there, and yielding to a
momentary impulse took away with him
a roll of wire netting valued at 22
cents. The Neagle case, it will be re-
called, was where an officer for several
nights, left his beat to enter another
town, and there drank milk from bot-
tles left on the doorstep. One officer
acted from impulse, the other with de-
liberate intent. The greatest criticism
of Mayor Childs in this notorious case,
however, is upon his attitude that the
claims of an individual are more im-
portant than his duty to the whole
people.

We are also sorry to note the in-
sinnuations contained in the references
of the mayor to the Street and For-
estry departments. Whatever the
mayor might have thought or known
on these matters, might have just as
well be left unsaid. His suggestion
of a "row of stars" following the item
regarding Mr. Bucknam's resignation
is far beneath the dignity which should
characterize a mayor's address.

The mayor states that he is unable
to "cure" the trouble in the police
department, altho he has had twelve
months to study the matter. The ques-
tion naturally arises, that if the mayor
with the arbitrary power of removal
and discipline is unable to locate the
"disease" who will be able to do so?
The mayor has the power to effect rad-
ical changes, not only in the discipline,
but in the personnel of the department,
and he cannot escape the responsibility
by calling it a "problem."

The announcement that the Mayor
will seek a re-election next fall is in-
teresting altho not unexpected. In
this connection it is well to recall that
when the city charter was changed to
give the mayor two years instead of one
year, it was with the understanding
that no mayor should succeed him-
self. That understanding was re-
spected by such efficient and able may-
ors as John W. Weeks, Alonzo R. Weed,
Edgar W. Warren and George Hutchin-
son, who were unhampered in their
work by ambitions of re-election. Mr.
Hatchfield sought a re-election against
the wishes of many of his best friends
and his administration has aroused
considerable criticism. It might be
the part of wisdom for Mayor Childs
to align himself with the former group
of mayors rather than with Mr. Hat-
field, and by so doing, help to re-es-
tablish the precedent of one term for our
mayors, and incidentally relieve him-
self from the charge that he was acting
in a manner to aid his own political
future.

The mayor neglects to mention two
of the most important matters under
discussion in our city affairs. The pro-
posed improvement of Nonantum
square and the solution of our liquor
problem. With his long experience
with the young men and boys of Non-
antum and in other parts of the city,
the mayor could have taken a stand in
the temperance question to which
many of our citizens would have been
glad to rally. It is a matter of regret
that his personal as well as his official
views on this important subject have
not been stated. Nonantum square has
been under consideration for six
months and the mayor should have had
ample time to study the question and
to make some recommendation in the
matter. As the executive head of the
city, his views on this great question
are demanded by the people.

But these comments and criticisms
are of minor importance compared
with the unfortunate expression of
"trimming the city" used by the mayor
in connection with the new system
of accounting. It is charitable to
hope that the mayor only intended to
emphasize the fact that now charges
can only be made to the proper ac-
counts, and not charged—as has been
the past custom, to such accounts as
had money available. In his desire,
however, to cleverly paraphrase the
regular appropriation of "Trimming
Trees," it is evident from talk heard
on the street this week that the aver-
age citizen has taken the view that
the mayor has discovered evidences of
petty grafting and that improper pur-
chases have been made by city officials.
The facts are that it is customary in
sending men out in the Forestry de-
partment during bad storms, to clear
the debris of falling trees and branch-
es to provide them with rubber coats,
boots and gloves just as in the Street
department, men working in drains,
brooks and sewers are furnished with
rubber boots, as well as other working
tools. No one will question these
items, and in the case of trimming
trees, as the labor is charged that ac-
count, previous mayors have ordered
that purchases of supplies should be
charged to the same appropriation. No
one of course justifies the purchase of
an automobile with thirty year bonds,
and when this affair took place in 1910
it was rectified as soon as the alder-
men learned the facts. The point which
should be emphasized however, is that
these purchases are perfectly legiti-
mate, and the only possible question
relates simply to the appropriation to
which they should be charged.

The address makes interesting read-
ing. The sentences are short and crisp
and, with the exception of the insinua-
tions noted, are evidently frank and
sincere.

GLEE CLUB CONCERT

A most enjoyable concert was given
Tuesday evening at Lincoln hall, New-
ton Highlands by the Highland Glee
Club in the first concert of its sev-
enth season. The Club was assisted
by Mme. Wilhelmina Calvert, soprano,
and the Lotus Male Quartet.

UNDER THE GILDED DOME

The Great and General Court got
under way again for the current year
on Wednesday of this week, when the
members of the Senate and House
took the oath of office and organized,
and yesterday Governor Walsh was
inaugurated for a second term.

In the Senate President Coolidge was
re-elected and in the House, Mr. Chan-
ning H. Cox of Boston was chosen
Speaker. Mr. Cox was the unanimous
choice of the Republican caucus and
was nominated by Mr. Washburn of
Worcester who referred to him as "one
whose tact, commonsense and inher-
ent qualities of a human being have
enabled him to secure the Speakership
without a contest, with apologies to
the city of Newton." Mr. Bothfield of
this city seconded the nomination.

The committee assignments of the
President and Speaker were not at all
complimentary to this city, and, pos-
sibly, should not have been ex-
pected, as our former representatives
had served for several terms and were
entitled to better committees than en-
tirely new men. At the same time,
however, it is a great pity that the
knowledge and ability of Mr. Ellis in
railroad and labor matters were not
recognized by the President of the
Senate. Mr. Ellis is given the chair-
manship of Social Welfare and a place
on the committee on taxation.

In the House, Mr. Bothfield is re-
turned to his former chairmanship of
the important committee on Metropoli-
tan Affairs and has a place on the
committee on Rules, of which he
was also chairman last year. Mr. Al-
len is given the unusual honor of a
chairmanship in his first year, altho
the committee on Bills in Third Read-
ing is one of considerable work and
little honor. Mr. Allen is also second
man on the committee on Banks and
Banking. Mr. Weston receives a place
on the committee on Legal Affairs.

From a strictly Newton standpoint,
none of these assignments, except that
of Metropolitan Affairs, is of any
value whatever to this city.

Newton has a number of matters to
ask of this Legislature and petitions
are being prepared by City Solicitor
Slocum and must be filed before next
Saturday.

Many radical departures from time-
honored customs concerning matters
of legislation are contained in the re-
port of the recess Committee on Legis-
lative Procedure, authorized by the
General Court of last year to devise
some means of expediting the opera-
tion of the law-making machinery of
the State. Here are some of its most
important recommendations.

Authorizing Legislative Committees,
by unanimous vote of the full commit-
tee, to pigeonhole petitions referred
to them.

Appointment of a paid clerk of com-
mittees to draft bills and expedite
committee work.

To omit the reading and reference of
petitions by the presiding officer, or
either branch and have petitions re-
ferred to committees by the clerk of
the Senate or House, as the case may
be.

To require that petitions, to be con-
sidered by a session of the Legislature,
be filed on or before Dec. 15 and that
no petitions be admitted ex-
cept under suspension of the rules.

That two new Legislative Commit-
tees be created, known as the Com-
mittee on "Courts and Practices," and
the Committee on "Pensions and Salaries."

Consolidation of appropriation bills
from the departments into a single
budget, by the Commission on Econ-
omy and Efficiency, before submission
to the Legislature.

Requiring the indorsement of the
head of a department or the Commis-
sion on Economy and Efficiency on any
petition for increase in salary of
State employees.

The argument in favor of giving a
committee power to pigeonhole peti-
tions by unanimous consent is that a
petition of any merit whatsoever would
commend itself to at least one mem-
ber of any committee.

Great need has been felt in the past
for some standardization of the form
in which acts and resolves are drafted,
and it is thought that a non-parti-
san committee of the Legislature will be
of material value in this respect.

The reading and reference to com-
mittees of petitions takes considerable
time and, since the investigators are
agreed that no one listens or knows
what is being done, can be dispensed
with.

An attempt will be made to frame
legislation that will take from the
Legislature the annual crop of peti-
tions that should have been referred
to State boards, such as the Public
Service Commission, Gas Commission
or Highway Commission.

J. C. Brimblecom.

G. A. R. INSTALLATION

The new officers of Charles Ward
Post, G. A. R., installed last night
at post headquarters in the Masonic
Building at Newtonville.

The installation ceremonies were in-
charge of John Stafford of Post 56
and were in the usual impressive rit-
ual of the order.

In connection with the installation
there was an entertainment by the
Waltham Kitchen Orchestra, composed
of 18 members of the Waltham Relief
Corps which was most amusing, songs
by Miss Olive K. Burrisson and a recita-
tion by Past Commander George M.
Fiske, followed by refreshments.

The new officers are, Commander
J. Coolidge Coffin, senior vice-com-
mander, O. W. Nash, junior vice-com-
mander, Dr. S. F. Chase, surgeon, S.
Tilton, chaplain, S. P. Putnam, Q.
M., Charles Ogden, Officer of the Day,
S. A. Langley, Officer of the Guard,
C. W. Coleman, Adjutant, C. C. Patten,
Q. S., James E. Reid, Sergt. Major,
W. H. Partridge.

DANSANT

The first in a series of dansants was
given Thursday evening at the Hunne-
well Club, Newton.

A musical program was presented
from 8 until 10 o'clock by the Metro-
politan Trio, composed of Madame Is-
idore Martinez, pianist, Madame Vi-
ollette Swornsbourne, soprano; Mr. Ed-
gar Childs, Basso cantante, assisted by
Miss Marie Sladen, contralto, and Miss
Marion A. Wells, reader. The program
was of exceptional merit and included
eleven numbers. Dancing followed the
entertainment from 10 until 12.

N. H. S.

Monday was made another holiday
because the bidders failed to heat the
building to make it comfortable. Ten
minute periods were given to allow the
teachers to give out home lessons.
Because of the cold building neither
the Boys' Debating Club nor the Portia
Club could meet.

The following persons have been
selected for the N. H. S. Tennis team:
S. Brown (Capt.), L. Jackson, M. No-
ble, R. Knowles, G. Daiger, and L.
Rice. Any person wishing to become
a member of this team, may do so by
challenging one of the above players,
and must win 2 out of 3 matches, 2
successive days.

Mr. Davis and Mr. Thomas are shar-
ing the duties of principal till Mr.
Adams is well enough to return.
Miss Eleanor Mason is president of
the Portia Club, Miss Mary West, vice-
president, and Miss Phyllis Addison is
secretary.

Rev. E. T. Sullivan of Newton
Centre spoke to the boys and girls
Wednesday morning on the keeping of
our virtues chiefly forgiveness and
politeness.

Notices have been posted in the
school halls calling for any Junior or
Senior boys interested in forming a
chess and checker club.

Carl Rogers was elected captain of
the Newton High School track team
Wednesday afternoon over Arthur
Roberts by a margin of one vote. It
is improbable that the election will
be allowed, as several of the mail
ballots received did not bear the
signatures of the voters.

When Coach Alfred W. Dickinson
of the faculty was questioned, he
stated that the election was illegal
for this cause, and he will advise that
a new election be held.

The third attempt to elect
a track captain, twice a vote re-
sulted, and now, according to Mr.
Dickinson, a fourth election will be
necessary.

The following are the officers of the
German Club—Donald Moore, presi-
dent; Miss Keeler, vice-president;
Louis F. Ranlett, secretary-treasurer.
The club held a meeting Tuesday.
Any Sophomore Junior or Senior
who has an honor mark (A or B) in
German is eligible for membership.

The first team consisting of the
following boys: Dalton E. Francis,
Chas. Parlin, and Louis Ranlett with
Frederic Corson as alternate, will de-
bate Cambridge Latin on Friday, Jan.
29. The boys have been working dur-
ing vacation and expect to make a
good showing. The debate will take
place at Cambridge.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The fall bowling tournament at the
Y. M. C. A. closed December 31st.
Team 9, composed of Anders, Cady,
Osterlund, Frye and Stevens, was the
winner, being one point ahead of
teams 3, 7 and 8 who tied for second
place.

This was the closest tournament
which has ever been bowled at the
Y. M. C. A. During the last week any
one of the first 8 teams had a chance
for first or second place. William
Cady proved to be the star bowler of
the tournament having an average of
95 with a high single string of 139
and a low single string total of 3.

The next tournament will begin
Monday, Jan. 11th, and entries are
now being received. This tournament
is open to any senior members of the
Association. Boston pins will be used.
Anyone desiring to enter please send
name in at once.

The Fellowship Club has resumed its
weekly meetings on Monday evenings
at the Y. M. C. A. with the usual sup-
per at 6:30 o'clock. The speaker this
week was Rev. Andrew H. Mulnix. All
young men who like good fellowship
and an interesting talk are invited to
join this club. Rev. Robert L. Rae
will be the speaker next Monday, Jan.
11th.

Next Open Night will be Janu-
ary 14th. This is for members and
their gentlemen friends only. From 8
to 9 o'clock there will be wrestling
matches in the gymnasium and after
that moving pictures in the hall. The
games will all be free and we hope
the members will take this opportuni-
ty to invite their friends.

Boy's Bishko's, an extremely
busy one for the boys, some activity
taking up all their spare time. The
Salamagundie Party for the older high
school boys and their "female ac-
quaintances" was especially success-
ful.

The Bible Club Shield was won for
the month of December by the K. S. K.
Club, led by Mr. T. H. Morton, with a
percentage of 86. This is the same
club which won it for November and
promises to have it for the entire
year.

Mr. Arthur Hammond of the Boston
firm of Hammond and Lorenz, photo-
graphers, will be present at the meet-
ing of "Kikara Club" on Friday,
the 8th, and if he thinks sufficient in-
terest is being shown will permanent-
ly lead the club.

The K. S. G. Club is continuing suc-
cessfully. Mr. C. E. Garrahan, the Boys'
Work Secretary of the Somerville Y.
M. C. A., spoke on "When Nobody's
Looking" last week, and Dr. Geo. S.
Butters addressed the boys this week
on the subject "True Blue." Ten boys
won their K. S. G. buttons for Decem-
ber by being present at every meeting.
The meetings are held every Tuesday
at 4:15 and are open to all boys in the
city between the ages of 11 and 13.

Next Saturday will be "Stunt Night"
for the Bible Clubs. Each club will
put on an act, and as there are seven
clubs quite an entertainment is as-
sured.

A bowling league is being formed
among the boys and seventeen are al-
ready enrolled. A cup will be award-
ed to the winning team and a box of
candy to the boy getting the highest
average.

POLICE NOTES

In the Police Court Monday morn-
ing, before Judge J. C. Kenney, Ar-
thur J. O'Brien of 68 West street, 20-
namum, was arraigned on the charge
of ringing a needless alarm of fire and
he was placed on probation until
April 21. O'Brien was charged with
sounding box 172 a week ago, on one
of the slippery nights. Patrolman
Cronin was the complainant, and the
young man was warned by Judge Ken-
ney that another similar charge
would mean his going to jail.

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Upper Falls

—Mrs. Samuel G. Curry is ill at her
home on High street.

—Master Norman Everett of High
street is ill at his home with an in-
jured foot.

—Mrs. George Pettee and Miss Flor-
ence Pettee of Pennsylvania avenue
are ill at their home.

—Miss Viola Estelle of Oak street
left today for a week's stay with re-
latives at Philadelphia, Pa.

—Mr. John Hankins of Princeton,
N. J., was the guest of Mr. Harry
Haigh of Hale street the past week.

—Mr. L. L. Thwing of Somersworth,
N. H., formerly of the Saco-Lowell
Co. is here on business for a few
weeks.

—The Ways and Means Society of
the Second Baptist Church will hold
a supper in the vestry on Thursday
evening.

—The Women's Foreign Missionary
Society will meet at the home of Mrs.
J. T. Carlyn of High street on Tues-
day afternoon at 2.30.

—The Ladies Aid of the Methodist
Episcopal Church will hold a sewing
meeting at the home of Mrs. C. H.
Brown of Linden street on Thursday
afternoon.

—The Sunday School of the Church
of Mary Immaculate of Lourdes en-
joyed their annual Christmas tree on
Friday evening, January 1, in the class
room of the church.

—Margaret McKenna, the 2 year old
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mc-
Kenna of Newton Highlands, died at
the Newton Hospital Monday night
Jan. 4, after a brief illness. The body
was brought to the home of Mrs. John
O'Brien of Williams street. The bur-
ial was at Roxbury Wednesday after-
noon.

—Mrs. Catherine Burke of 1093
Chestnut street died on Tuesday after-
noon of a long illness. Mrs. Burke was 77
years of age and was born in Ireland
but has resided here for the past 60
years. She is survived by three
daughters and one son. Funeral serv-
ices were held from St. Mary's Church
and burial was at Needham.

—Mr. Harold Hankins, a former
resident of this village, while boarding
a train at Mansfield on Sunday, fell
beneath the wheels and was instantly
killed. Mr. Hankins was 26 years of
age and is survived by a wife and 2
children. Funeral services were held
at the home of his mother at Attle-
boro, Wednesday and the burial was at
Natick.

—Sunday morning at 10.45 Rev. J.
T. Carlyn of the Methodist Church
will preach on "The Word of Light
and Life." In the evening at 7 o'clock,
"Gather out the Stones." On January
24th Mr. Darius Cobb of Boylston
street will interpret the message and
give the story of his painting, "The
Master," from the picture which will
be exhibited. The picture has already
won note abroad as well as in this
country. It will be shown Sunday,
January 31, the Highland Glee Club
of 40 voices will assist the pastor at
the vesper service held at 3.30 P. M.

—A meeting of the Sunday School
board of the Methodist Episcopal
Church was held in the vestry on
Thursday evening. During the past
year the Sunday School sent a large
box of toys and clothing to the chil-
dren of stricken Europe on the Christ-
mas ship; a well filled stocking was
sent to Morgan Memorial; seven bas-
kets of Christmas dinners were dis-
tributed in the village; two orders for
coal given besides two Christmas
trees and a Christmas party for the
children of the Sunday School. The
graded lessons have been adopted for
the coming year's study. At the meet-
ing of the Executive Committee of the
Wesley Bible Class on Tuesday eve-
ning at the home of Mr. J. Charles
Batey of Cliff road the following com-
mittees were appointed, Attendance,
Mr. C. A. Chadwick; Membership, Mr.
P. T. Probert; Visitation, Mr. J. W.
McNeally; Music, Mr. E. B. Wildman;
Social, Mr. W. F. Kestle.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE—The
long expected Harvard Play, "Common
Clay" was produced for the first time
on Friday night. It proved to be a
strong drama of life among the
wealthy and their dependents and jus-
tifies its title by a strong indictment
of the conditions of civilization which
prevent a young girl of really fine
character from "running straight"
until a sudden and dramatic accident
makes her find her real character. A
big audience gave a warm welcome
to "Common Clay" and great things
are predicted for its clever young
author, Cloves Kinkaid who, before
taking up play-writing at Harvard was
a newspaper man and lawyer in Louis-
ville, Ky.

Newtonville

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Wilcutt
of Mill street have removed to Boston.

—Miss Mabel Rand has been spend-
ing the holidays with Mr. and Mrs.
Liverus Howe.

—Miss Ellis of Clafin place has re-
turned from a holiday visit to Ben-
nington, Vermont.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Davis of
Highland avenue have returned from
a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Fer-



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FOR SALE—New Mahogany Player Piano and music for sale cheap, or will store with private family intending purchase later, if well pleased. Address, Box A, Graphic Office.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Between 104 Temple street and Woodland Park Hotel via Commonwealth Ave., a silver bracelet watch. Will find kindly return to Woodland Park Hotel?

LOST: Between Houghton's Corner and Oak Avenue, West Newton, Jan. 7, a velvet pocketbook containing sum of money and beads. Reward. Return to H. A. Wheeler, 289 Mill street, Newtonville.

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—Mr. E. W. Pope of Lincoln has taken apartments at Vernon Court hotel.

—Mr. Durham Jones entertained a company of friends at a New Year's dancing party on Saturday evening at his home on Farlow road.

—Miss Mildred Clark of Claremont street left Wednesday for New York, where she will be a guest at the wedding of one of her Radcliffe friends.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Elizabeth W., daughter of Mrs. Clara H. Rogge of South Medford, to Mr. David G. Noden of Nonantum place.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edmund W. Converse of Centre street motored up to New Hampshire today, and will entertain a house party over the week end at their summer home at Lake Sunapee.

—Dr. Graham Taylor of the Chicago Commons will address the meeting of the Christian Forum on Sunday evening at Eliot Church. His subject will be "Humanized Religion Emphasized by War."

—The monthly meeting of the Sunday School officers and teachers of Eliot Church was held Tuesday evening in Eliot Chapel. It was a devotional service with New Year's Ideals emphasized.

—The deacons who were ordained Sunday at Eliot Church were Mr. Charles D. Kepner to succeed Thomas Weston and Dr. Robert A. Reid to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Frank A. Day.

—Miss Margaret Clarke gave a tea on Wednesday afternoon at her home on Washington street in honor of Miss Helen Robinson, whose wedding to Mr. John Weiser of York, Pa., takes place on Saturday.

—At the annual meeting yesterday of the Evangelistic Association of New England, Mr. Allan C. Emery was elected president, Mr. William T. Rich, a vice-president, and Mr. S. M. Sayford, general secretary and treasurer, and Mr. F. D. Fuller, a director.

Auburndale

—Auburndale Co-Operative Bank, New shares on sale, pay 5%. Adv.

—Mr. Fred Vallee is slowly recovering from his recent illness.

—Mrs. George B. Knapp is seriously ill at her home on Central street.

—Mr. Paul Curtis of Kaposia street has recovered from his recent illness.

—Dr. Sophia Mergenthaler has been spending the holidays at Asheville, N. C.

—John Draper has returned to Dartmouth College after the Christmas holidays.

—Mr. C. A. Sadler of Brunswick, Maine, passed the holidays at his home at Riverside.

—Mr. Charles E. Kennedy of Central street left recently on a business trip to New York.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Feakins of Colorado have moved into the house at 25 Rowe street.

—Mr. T. D. Baldwin was called to Pennsylvania the past week by the death of a relative.

—Mr. George W. McNear has been elected president of the Bay State Automobile Association.

—Mr. George E. Martin assisted the pastor at the morning service at the Congregational Church.

—Mr. W. W. Heckman of Windemere road has returned from an extended trip to New York and the West.

—Miss Ethel Gates has taken a position as bookkeeper in Mr. Leonard's grocery store on Auburn street.

—Officer Henry L. Bates and family of Bourne street have moved into Mr. Gaw's new house on Evergreen avenue.

—Mrs. C. A. Holden of Melrose street is recovering from a surgical operation performed this week at Dr. Earle E. Bessey's hospital in Boston.

—Miss Margaret Rogers and Mrs. W. C. Ware have been entertaining Miss Rogers' father who has been here from Maine for the holidays.

—Dr. and Mrs. Henry F. Keefer of Melrose street are receiving congratulations on the recent arrival of a daughter, Mary Elizabeth Keefer.

—Mrs. M. H. Kimball celebrated her 82nd birthday on Saturday and was showered with gifts and congratulations at her home on Melrose street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Smart (Eleanor Patterson) of New Haven, Conn., are being congratulated on the recent birth of a daughter, Eleanor Sarah Patterson.

—The Newton Ladies' Home Circle will hold a sale of home cooked, far-fetched foods, and caps, aprons and fancy aprons and rugs today in Society hall.

—"A Day in Aruppukottai," was the subject of an interesting address by Rev. William E. Strong, on Sunday evening at the monthly Missionary meeting at the Congregational Church.

—Mrs. William A. Knowlton, Mrs. G. D. Harey and Miss Helen Balch, noted interesting experiences of their trip abroad at the Mothers' meeting Wednesday afternoon at the Congregational Church.

—At the rectory of the Church of the Messiah last Saturday afternoon, the rector and Mrs. Beal were at home to all the friends of the parish. Mrs. Beal was assisted in receiving by Mrs. J. H. Cochran of Chestnut Hill and it was a delightful occasion.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Bacon of Weston have been entertaining Miss Pearl Trumbull and Mr. George Bacon of Bowdoin College, '15. The most enjoyable event held in their honor was a coasting party and among those present were the Misses Helen and Mary Donovan, Miss Lucy Young, all of Weston, Miss F. D. Amour of Montreal, Miss E. Loque and Mr. Louis Loque of Brunswick, Me., the Messrs. William and John Donovan, Mr. William Campbell, all of Weston, also Mr. Hartley Hoffesses of Quincy.

—The Feast of the Epiphany was celebrated at the Episcopal Church, Wednesday, with special missionary services. Rev. G. W. Davenport gave two addresses, one for women and one in the evening for men. At evening prayer the rector addressed the Junior Auxiliary and had a "service of candles" especially designed by Rev. Phillips E. Osgood, for the Epiphany service, with young people. The candles represented the chief missionary workers of the Bible and more recent times and also the countries which were being Christianized.

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Newton

—College Day was observed in Eliot Sunday School last Sunday.

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—Mr. Robert Sanford Jowett left Thursday on a business trip to the west.

—Mr. John W. Morash and family of Centre street have removed to Waverly.

—Seven new members were received into the fellowship of Eliot Church on Sunday.

—Rev. G. Charles Gray of Wesley street left Sunday on a ten days' visit to Philadelphia.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ingraham of Willard street are entertaining friends from New York.

—Mr. Frederick D. Fuller addressed the Fireside Meeting Sunday afternoon at the Newton Y. M. C. A.

—Miss Frances Warren of Hyde avenue returns today to Wykeham Rise, her school at Washington, Conn.

—Mr. and Mrs. Dana Pollett of Park street are receiving congratulations on the birth yesterday of a son.

—Eighteen new members were welcomed to the fellowship of the Newton Methodist church Sunday morning.

—Rev. Julian C. Jaynes will preach in Channing Church next Sunday morning in exchange with the minister.

—The Missionary Department of the Eliot Men's Association will conduct the service this evening at Eliot Church.

—Mrs. Laurens MacLure of Eldredge street left Wednesday for a month's visit with relatives in western Pennsylvania.

—A meeting of the Eliot Guild was held Tuesday afternoon at the residence of the Misses Jewett on Bellevue street.

—Miss Lillian Green of Worcester, was a holiday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jameson Brown of Washington street.

—Miss Ruth MacLure entertained at luncheon on Saturday at her home on Eldredge street. Covers were laid for fourteen.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roger Hatch of St. Louis were holiday guests of Mrs. Hatch's mother, Mrs. C. B. Prescott of Centre street.

—Mrs. Benjamin Stearns Hinckley has sent out cards for an auction bridge this afternoon at her residence on Park street.

—Have your Furniture reupholstered. Mattresses, window shades and draperies made by M. H. Haase, 427 Centre street.

—Miss Nellie Lee Brown of Washington street leaves next week for a visit with friends in New York and New Haven, Conn.

—The Fourth annual dancing party of the Newton High School Commercial Alumni Association will be held this evening in Temple hall.

—The Junior League of the Methodist Church held a meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of the superintendent, Mr. George W. Barber.

—The engagement is announced of Miss Margaret M. Cullinan of 173 Tremont street, Newton, to Mr. William B. Sullivan of New York.

—Rev. Godfrey W. Barney, assistant pastor of St. Mark's Methodist Church, Brookline, will deliver the sermon on Sunday morning at the Methodist Church.

—Rev. Andrew Mulinix of the Faneuil Congregational Church, Brighton, addressed the meeting of the Fellowship Club Monday evening at the Y. M. C. A.

—Mr. Charles D. Kepner, Jr. led the meeting of the Eliot Young People's Association on Sunday evening at Eliot Church. The topic was "Christianity and Other Religions."

—Miss Marjorie Warren, who has been spending the holidays at her home on Hyde avenue, has resumed her studies at Rosemary Hall, Greenwich, Conn.

BURTON HOLMES LECTURE

It is somewhat remarkable, but nevertheless a fact, that Burton Holmes has never delivered a Travelogue on England as a country, until the present season. "London" was one of his topics a few years ago, but rural England with its picturesque charms, its peaceful countryside, its acres of cultivation dotted with quaint village and prosperous town; England with its historic monuments from the Druid Stonehenge to the Norman "White Tower" of London, from the Poultry Cross of Salisbury to Westminster; the England of Shakespeare, of Warwick, of the early Cathedrals, the Lakes of the Poets and the university towns of Oxford and Cambridge,—this is the England which Mr. Holmes will show his audiences for the first time as the opening Travelogue of his coming season.

Mr. Holmes will give "England" at Symphony Hall, Friday evening at 8.15, and Saturday afternoon at 2.30, January 15th and 16th.

Newton

—The Woman's Association gave a luncheon on Tuesday in Eliot chapel.

—Dutch Jip for children. Fell Bros., Washington St., opp. Bank, adv.

—Miss Dorothy Simpson of Hunnewell avenue returned Wednesday to Smith College.

—A meeting of the Cheerful Letter Committee was held Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Oliver M. Fisher on Franklin street.

—Miss Rebecca Cole and Miss Elizabeth Carpenter have resumed their studies at the Sea Pine School for Girls.

—Mrs. George Bailey of Washington street entertained on Wednesday afternoon from 3 until 5 in honor of Mrs. Arthur Bailey of Portland, Maine.

—A meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. D. Conant on Washington street.

—At the meeting of Channing Alliance next Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Isabella W. Hardon will speak on "Mother Byles." A cordial invitation to attend is extended to all women who may be interested.

—Miss Mildred Crocker of Newtonville avenue Miss Bertha Ruef of Park street, Miss Barbara Keith of Washington street and Miss Gladys Hodgson of Shoreline road have returned to Vassar College.

—The annual parish meeting of Grace Church will be held Monday evening, January 11th, at 8 o'clock. There will be an election of officers and reports of the Vestry and Parish treasurer will be received.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Cunningham of Jewett street announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Helen Cunningham, to Mr. Richard William Galbraith, son of Rev. and Mrs. J. E. H. Galbraith of Waverley Mills, South Carolina.

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CITY OF NEWTON

IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN

January 1st, 1915.

WHEREAS a vacancy exists in the Board of Aldermen occasioned by the retirement of Arthur W. Blakemore, vacancy being created by his change of residence from Ward 1 to Ward 7, under provisions of Section 36 of the Charter, it is hereby

ORDERED, that a meeting of the Board of Aldermen be held on Monday, January 18th, 1915, at 7.45 o'clock P. M., at City Hall, for the purpose of filling said vacancy, and that notice of said meeting be published in the Newton Graphic, Newton Journal, Newton Circuit and Town Crier on Friday, January 8th, 1915, and in the Newton Times on Wednesday, January 6th, 1915, and by giving notice to each member of the Board of Aldermen one week at least before said meeting.

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THE MAYOR'S ADDRESS

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You thought that they meant 'Preach Christ.' I always thought that for you they meant 'Plant Corn.'

And so gentlemen when dealing with this second group before you follow their suggestions, be sure that they get the initials right.

Besides these two interesting groups there is a third group much larger than either which is composed of the remainder of our 6000 voters—men who have never held office and who don't want to but who are interested in our city and who want city affairs conducted for the benefit of all.

These are the men whom I have tried to please, taking my chances in so doing of satisfying the reasonable and fair minded men of these other two groups.

I venture to suggest to you new members of the city government that same course.

During the past year the Executive Department and the Legislative Department have worked harmoniously. Upon only two or three matters has there been any disagreement.

This is as it should be. In the Annual Budget I recommended an appropriation for an extra officer for Nonantum Square. This Square has for a long time been studied by the Aldermen, by Mayors, by the Planning Board, by the local Improvement Association and by citizens in general with a view to lessening the danger to pedestrians and travellers upon the highway in that locality.

It occurred to me that the first thing needed there was police protection. For that reason I made the recommendation which was not adopted by the Board.

Notwithstanding that fact an officer was withdrawn from another route which had to be left unprotected and has been doing constant and most efficient service there ever since.

Officer Parrell deserves great credit for the masterly way in which he directs traffic in that busy place.

Another matter upon which there was a disagreement was the Neagle case.

So much has been said on the floor of this chamber and elsewhere in reference to this case which is absolutely false that I shall take the liberty at this time of stating the facts as they are.

Shortly after my inauguration one year ago Officer Neagle came to my office and presented to me what purported to be a legal opinion of a learned Boston lawyer which stated that he (Officer Neagle) had been illegally removed from the Newton Police force, inasmuch as he had been discharged by the Chief of Police instead of the Mayor.

The opinion was carefully prepared and the reasoning appeared sound. I told Officer Neagle that I would look into the matter.

A few days after that the then rector of the Church of the Messiah called upon me and told me that an officer in whom he was slightly interested had been discharged from the Newton Police Department and asked me to look into the matter, if it came before me, and to see that the man had a square deal. That's all the pressure that came from the outside.

The matter interested me and I looked up the law myself. I then consulted the City Solicitor and he informed me that Officer Neagle had been illegally removed.

Then I consulted several able lawyers who examined the section of our Charter governing the matter and they reported that in their judgment the sole power of removal in the police and the fire department was in the Mayor.

I then talked with the Chief of Police who informed me that up to the time of Neagle's removal that power had always been exercised by the Mayor.

I consulted the Chief of the Fire Department and he said that according to the interpretation which had always been given to the City Charter the Mayor alone had the power of removal in the Police and Fire Departments.

I then learned that the late John B. Goodrich, who was responsible for that section going into the Charter stated at the time of its adoption that so much favoritism and jealousy existed in police and fire departments that the power of removal as well as approval of appointments should be in the Mayor.

With such a case before you, gentlemen—What would you have done? Ducked it?

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A few days afterwards I received a letter from the Civil Service Commission stating that according to information received Officer Neagle who had been discharged from the Newton Police Force had been reinstated, that if that was so it appeared to be in violation of the Civil Service Rules and asking me to explain.

I immediately conferred with Mr. Dudley, Secretary of the Commission, explained the case exactly as I have to you, and he asked me to forward to him a written opinion of the City Solicitor in the matter. This I did and a few days afterwards received a letter from Mr. Dudley stating that in view of our City Solicitor's opinion the Neagle case so far as the Civil Service Commission was concerned was closed.

Then the ridiculous part began. Errand boys from several quarters appeared before me with messages and suggestions until finally new charges were preferred against the officer.

I heard the evidence and decided the matter in a way which, under all the circumstances, appeared to me just and fair.

I followed the only precedent in such a case, a much more serious case by the way which had been decided by Ex-Mayor Hutchinson several years ago. I might add that when that case was decided there was no criticism of the then Mayor by either the taxpayers, the Aldermen or the press.

Then came the ten taxpayers with their bill of complaint seeking an injunction and for the first time in 38 years the opinion of our City Solicitor was challenged.

The matter is now before the Supreme Court of Massachusetts and we shall soon learn whether or not our charter has been wrongly interpreted all these years.

Two comments I want to make on this celebrated case.

First, I am perfectly willing to go down in the history of the city as a Mayor, who, in deciding a difficult matter followed the example of George Hutchinson. I respect his judgment more than that of most men.

The second comment is this: I have thought over the lives of some of the men who are really behind this Neagle persecution—not the errand boys who appeared but the men whose messengers they were.

The names of some of them have never appeared in connection with the case. What I now say I say with all sincerity. I hope that when they stand before the bar of God Almighty that He in His infinite goodness will show toward them a little of that mercy for the showing of which toward Officer Neagle they have so vehemently damned me.

The Neagle case might have been side stepped as the easiest solution of a difficult problem. But gentlemen, the real test of a man's moral standard, the true test of his manhood is not the way in which he performs an easy task (for any one can do that) but the way in which he performs that duty which he would gladly have avoided.

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The policy of resurfacing streets and then digging them up again for one reason and another has been severely and justly criticised. Never until this

year have streets been restored to their original condition.

It was stated in this chamber at the time the veto was being considered that the Mayor did not know of the then existing contract with the Edison Company in regard to underground work and that he didn't know what he was doing when he vetoed the order. May I correct that statement and say that the Mayor knew all about the contract and that he knew just what he was doing, but that he did not veto the veto when the matter came for final action by the Board inasmuch as a new Street Commissioner had assumed office and had assured the Mayor that he would personally see to it that the street was restored to its original condition. And it was.

The rule was then made that in the future before any street is resurfaced notice shall be given to all parties who are likely to be interested in the matter and that after such work is done the street shall not be disturbed except in extreme cases for the period of two years.

A brief financial statement may at this time be of interest to you. The gross debt of the City of Newton on December 31, 1913, was \$5,564,800.00. Bonds issued during 1914, \$65,000.00. Making a total of \$5,629,800.00. Bonds matured during 1914 \$435,500.00. Leaving a gross debt Dec. 31, 1914 \$5,194,300.00.

This shows a decrease during 1914 of \$374,500.00. The net debt of the city was \$2,721,952.74. Showing a decrease during the year of \$182,648.48. There was a net gain of \$1,839,304.26 during 1915 bonds amounting to \$472,000.00.

The reduction of our funded debt during 1914 will reduce the requirements for 1915 for interest of Sinking Funds by over \$20,000. The borrowing capacity of the City of Newton at the close of business Dec. 31, 1914, was \$1,260,862.64. Showing a gain during the year of \$198,740.85.

During the past year the new Municipal Finance law has been on trial and the new accounting system has been tested.

We now have a Comptroller who controls in practice as well as in theory all the accounts for the city. For the first time, been made to their proper accounts.

Money appropriated for particular purposes, if spent at all, has been spent for those purposes alone. The new system reveals among other things how much has been done in the past which was fundamentally wrong from an accounting standpoint.

Today it would be impossible to buy a new auto with the proceeds of Sewer Bonds or to charge up rubber boots, coats and gloves purchased by the wholesale to "trimming trees."

In short if we were operating as in the past I venture to think that the Comptroller would have to open a new account and label it "trimming the city."

Through the cooperation of Heads of Departments and the Mayor with the Comptroller the city accounting has been placed on an entirely new and firmer basis and any citizen can now get for the asking information as to just where the city stands.

For the new system of accounting due credit must be given Alderman Pratt who has served on the Finance Committee for several years.

Contrasting conditions of a year ago with those existing today those competent to judge impartially say that the improvement is marked.

Mr. Daboll has accomplished much for the good of the city in the administration of his important office. If, at the outset, he had been placed in charge of his department and instructed to establish a system of his own, results would be the same and hundreds of dollars paid to the State could have been saved.

The present complaint has caused much inconvenience and the Comptroller as well as the Mayor, have had to close their eyes at times in order to do what, under the circumstances common sense dictated.

I would recommend the abolishment of the so called "monthly grant" and if that course at the present time seems inadvisable I would suggest the substitution thereof of a two or three months grant.

If the law had been strictly complied with during the past year, under the system now in vogue it would have been necessary for the Mayor to call many special meetings of the Board of Aldermen in order to meet situations which could not be foreseen. This was not done for the simple reason that it might have caused much annoyance to the Aldermen and might have appeared to be assembling them for action on trivial matters.

Appropriations are made by your Board the Heads of Departments under the direction of the Mayor with the valuable assistance of the Comptroller, always freely and cheerfully given, ought to be able to spend the money wisely without having it doled out in small quantities each month.

I do not wish to weary you with a lot of detail but I do want to state briefly what has been accomplished in some of the departments and what remains yet to be done.

Our Assessors have been on the job. Last year in common with other cities and towns of this Commonwealth, we had an increased tax rate.

We are fortunate that it was not higher and should be encouraged from the fact that it was an absolutely honest tax rate. For the good work done by this Department in a year of business depression belongs much of the credit for this good showing.

The Charity Department has had a busy year. This fall and thus far this winter calls for aid have been frequent and urgent.

Not for years have so many people been out of employment and calls for help are coming from many who never before have been compelled to seek city aid and who when employed command good wages. The Worthy Mothers Act which relieves distress, is expensive for the city and will be more expensive in years to come.

The Overseer of the Poor carefully investigates each case which comes to his attention and my observation of his work in his department leads me strongly to the conclusion that he is the right man in the right place.

The Police Department has been somewhat of a problem.

One good thing which has happened there was the winning of the Championship of the Massachusetts Police Baseball League.

Among the younger men there is a fine spirit.

Among the older men there has been ill feeling and discord. This has existed ever since the famous Tarbox investigation.

The problem in the Newton Police Department was not settled then and no succeeding Mayor has settled it. There is some disease there. I can't name it.

Having been unable to diagnose it I have not been able to effect a cure. Good citizens come to me with their criticisms and when I ask them what they would do if they were in my place, I find that their answers are as ridiculous as they are varied.

In this department should be on merit alone and if they always had been conditions might have been better.

Favoritism is the fly in the ointment in every police department. Consciously or unconsciously it creeps in and does its work.

Honesty and ability are the two requisites for a good officer. One can find honesty without the ability and ability without the honesty. The combination, however, if often hard to find. Still we have some mighty good officers in our department.

Compulsory retirement might solve the problem there.

I shall recommend the appointment of extra patrolmen the coming year that routes may be divided in Newton and West Newton and that Oak Hill may have that protection which has for so long been lacking but which the people there deserve.

The Fire Department has rendered valuable service here and, when summoned, to surrounding cities and towns, and the motor apparatus is proving effective.

I shall recommend the coming year the purchase of one new piece of apparatus, possibly two.

The suggestion has been made that if the Hose House at Newton Lower Falls were located nearer the corner of Washington street and Beacon street, better protection would be afforded for Waban and just as good protection for Lower Falls.

If that could be done and it seemed practicable money could be saved thereby in that it would do away with the necessity of building a new hose house at Waban later on and thus the expense of an extra company and extra apparatus would be eliminated.

This however is but a suggestion for your consideration.

The Water Department and Treasury Department have been conducted as usual in a manner beyond criticism.

I urge the enlargement of the Treasurer's office and the rearrangement of its fittings and furnishings. He has not space enough to care for all the working force in his office and properly do the work of the office most advantageously.

Last year after many years of service as Street Commissioner Mr. Ross resigned.

He was succeeded by George E. Stuart, a road builder of experience and ability so recognized by impartial men in that profession, and who for more than 35 years has served the city faithfully in the Highway Department.

For the good things which Mr. Ross did during his long term of service every citizen, I am sure, is grateful, and I am confident that we all wish him long years of usefulness in the position to which he has been called.

The Highway Department under Mr. Stuart has been somewhat reorganized and the department leaks there have been attended to.

Road building and street maintenance have gone on during his administration most satisfactorily to the people and our streets are, I believe, in better condition today than ever before.

Examination of the records will, I believe show that supplies and tools have been bought at lower prices than heretofore.

The city garage has been made a strictly city garage and work for private parties has been stopped. The road problem in Newton as elsewhere is a big one.

How to build roads which will stand up under auto traffic as well as being safe for horse drawn vehicles is a problem not yet solved.

With the money at his command Mr. Stuart has made a remarkably good showing getting I believe all to which the city has been entitled for every dollar which he has spent.

The question of wages for city laborers in the Highway Department has been brought to the attention of the Mayor during the past year. There should, I believe, be a minimum wage of \$2.25 per day for all city laborers.

That is the minimum wage in the Water Department and in the Forestry Department as well as for about two-thirds of the workers in the Highway Department.

A curious condition has always existed in the Highway Department so far as wages are concerned—a condition which has been neither logical nor just.

The workers in the Highway Department are good able bodied citizens for the most part, who live here, make their homes here, and rear their children. It seems to me that they are rightly entitled to at least \$2.25 per day and that if economy is to be practiced it should not begin at that end.

In June there was a change in the Forestry Department. Mr. Bucknam resigned. (If this were a novel right here there would be inserted a row of stars.)

He was succeeded by William Colton, City Forester of Fitchburg who has made good.

Some of us realize how much he has been handicapped by influences silently but effectively at work on the outside. We sympathize with him.

According to all that could be learned from the State people, the United States people and the Forestry Schools, as well as from the study of his work at Fitchburg and elsewhere to which he was appointed. He has reorganized his Department. He knows forestry and is honest—two essential qualifications for a public official engaged in his line of work.

It is rumored that one of the members of this Board is thinking of asking for an investigation of the Forestry and Street Departments to see

what has been done during my administration.

Let me say that both Mr. Stuart, Mr. Colton and I would welcome such an investigation and if it is started I would suggest that you insist that the investigation in both departments cover a period of years.

The management of our Schools and Public Library is in able hands.

The maintenance of the former costs much money. This is due to various reasons, all of which can be explained.

The School Committee has agreed to ask in the future for increase in appropriation only in proportion to the increase in pupils.

That seems fair. My observations of the school system and study of it at close range has impressed me with the fact that we are doing a great work along educational lines in this city and that a high standard is maintained.

An exceptional teaching force of men and women are among us who are not only imparting knowledge to their pupils but who are holding before them by precept and example those ideals through manhood and noble womanhood without which there can be no true education.

I have been tremendously impressed with the earnestness and enthusiasm of the teachers in the schools of this city.

With the intellectual and moral training is coupled supervised recreation on our playgrounds which combination makes for the development of the "all around" girl and boy and tends to eliminate the "snob," the "brute" and the "bigot" from our American civilization.

The Playground activities have been carried forward and playground development work has made advances during the year which has just closed.

The playground at Waban has been graded and the new playground at Auburndale, one of the most attractive in the city, has been completed.

I recommend strongly the purchase of the land now leased for a playground at Lower Falls. This is by far the most ideal spot in the entire city for sport and recreation and future generations will, I believe, comment most unfavorably upon our shortsightedness if we allow that property to pass from under our control.

Playgrounds and their activities are today a necessity not a luxury, and that department is just as important as the Police or Fire Department.

It conserves both life and property. The boy without a playground is the father of the man without a job.

The secret of play is the secret of life itself.

Those who make a study of young life realize that youth must have a legitimate outlet for surplus vitality.

It is either the case of removing the cork or of letting the bottle go to pieces and as to how much broken glass there is lying around one has only to visit the congested quarters of the modern city or study with care the rising generation.

With the increase in population and activity in building which the next decade will witness available space for playgrounds will diminish.

The city government and all of our people should heartily cooperate with our Playground Commission in the maintenance and promotion of their particular branch of our municipal service which in the last analysis is the greatest factor in the prosecution of crime.

Permanent improvements should be made at Boyd Park in line with plans already formulated by the Commission for the maintenance of skating there at the smallest possible cost. The present policy of building a dam there each year is both expensive and dangerous.

The Planning Board has been very active during the past year and the members thereof have done some real planning.

There is no limit to the good work which this Board can accomplish. What it attempts it does thoroughly. It is a working commission with no figure heads.

I shall recommend in the budget an appropriation for this Board which I trust will be passed upon favorably by you.

Nonantum Square still holds the centre of the stage and shares with Weston Bridge the reputation of being the most dangerous place in the city. There have been no serious accidents in either place thus far but we must not tempt Providence too long.

With the widening of Boylston street on the South Side should come another improvement, namely a wider bridge connecting this city with the Town of Weston.

The Health of our city is excellent and the Board of Health has met its problems satisfactorily. Wet, rotten and spongy land on Needham street was drained the past year and a long standing nuisance thereby abated.

Under the State law Newton must have a tuberculosis hospital and already sketches have been prepared for one which if erected will in all probability occupy a site on the Hospital grounds. The exact location has yet to be determined. These sketches have met with the approval of not only our local Health Board but also of the State Department of Health and the Trustees of the Hospital for Consumptives.

Today our tuberculosis patients are being most satisfactorily treated in the State Sanatoria and at Waltham Hospital.

Our public buildings are not in any too good condition. The heating and ventilating systems in several of our school houses are wholly inadequate.

Last year's Board appropriated \$8100 for changes in the Clifton Schools but the lowest bid received was over \$12,000.

The lateness of the season made it desirable to postpone alterations there until next summer.

The old Adams School, the Elliot School, the Williams School and others are sorely in need of attention.

Sewer construction work has been consistently carried forward and sections long needing this improvement have been accommodated.

Several ordinances should be changed the coming year.

The ordinance relative to "sick pay and vacations for permanent employees at City Hall" being section 22, should be immediately revised.

This ordinance was framed for a particular case and, as in all such cases of special legislation, works a hardship as well as being essentially unfair. The week's time during which pay

may continue is altogether too brief. I recommend that the time be three months at full pay and another three months at half pay or else that the time during which compensation shall be given be left with the Mayor.

Police officers and firemen can be ill indefinitely and draw full pay. Employees at City Hall cannot. This is manifestly unjust.

I recommend a change in the ordinance also in so far as it affects vacations.

The vacation money of a city employee who has had a vacation for 20 years was held up this year owing to a strict interpretation of this ordinance which the Comptroller rightfully made.

The employee had his vacation nevertheless and the Mayor paid the bill. I recommend a change also in section 60 of the ordinances by substituting in line 8 the word "five hundred" instead of "one hundred and fifty" thereby giving the Treasurer authority to pay the City Messenger for postage for the various departments a sum not exceeding \$500 per month.

The business of the city has grown since this ordinance was passed and one hundred and fifty dollars is not enough.

The matter of Commission form of government with a City Manager is fast winning favor with students of Municipal government in this country and in most places where the same has been tried it has succeeded. It may be said that this form of government is still in the experimental stage and yet it might be advantageously tried in this city if our people approve.

As a preliminary step I would urge the abolishing of Party Enrollment party designation so called in Municipal Elections.

The annual budget I shall try to submit to you in the near future.

This is a year above all years it would seem when economy should be practised even in municipal affairs. The budget for the year ought to be kept as near to that of last year as the normal growth of our city will permit.

Vote for improvement always means growth of maintenance and with a growing city there is always a gradual increase in expenses.

What the people demand however they are willing to pay for—wise public improvement carried out honestly never impoverishes a municipality.

Our automobile problem is on the way to satisfactory solution. I believe that Ford cars should be used in the various departments. Those already owned by the city are giving satisfaction.

Hereafter I shall recommend the purchase of Ford cars—"without self starters."

During 1914 several who have served the city in different capacities have retired from the service.



Those steering knuckles and tie rod connections need attention after the season's use—they MUST NOT have "play" for a break here spells disaster.

Have us go over your entire car this winter and have ALL the bearings taken up, new bushings put in where necessary and necessary part replacements made—it will mean cheaper, safer, more pleasurable motoring next season.

Drop in and talk the matter over with us—your visit is cordially invited. Good repair work at reasonable cost.

Newton Garage & Automobile Co.
24 BROOK STREET, - NEWTON

Newtonville

—Mrs. Legg of Newell road is visiting in Philadelphia.

—Dr. Frank Edgerly of Lincoln was visiting friends in town this week.

—Miss Marian Fuller of Central avenue has returned from a holiday visit to Westboro.

—"Boys' Night" will be observed by the Central Club on Thursday evening, January 21st.

—Mr. Herbert R. Gibbs was the leader of the Adult Class, Sunday at Central Church.

—There will be a vesper service Sunday afternoon at 4.30 at the First Universalist Church.

—Miss Rachel Felton of Highland avenue has resumed her teaching at the Sea Pine School for Girls.

—The meeting of the Central Guild will be held Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Miss Helen Taylor.

—Mr. and Mrs. Orrin J. Fish of Lincoln avenue are receiving congratulations on the recent birth of a son.

—The Ladies' Aid Society held a supper and social Thursday evening in the vestry of the Methodist Church.

—Council and trustees' meeting was held Thursday evening in the parish house of the First Universalist Church.

—Miss Agnes Doherty of Amherst, has been spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. David Barry of Walnut street.

—The cottage prayer meeting of the Methodist Church was held Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. C. P. Earley of Elliot avenue.

—Regular meeting of Garden City Y. P. B. Wednesday evening, January 13th, at Newtonville M. E. Church. Comfort bags for the sailors will be filled at this meeting. All young people welcome.

—Ira J. Ross of Quincy, an employee of the Edison Co., fell from a pole at the corner of Lowell avenue and Otis street Saturday afternoon and was taken to the Newton Hospital with injuries to the head and back.

—The Young People's League of the Church of the New Jerusalem held a meeting Sunday evening at the residence of the Misses Kimball on Grey Birch terrace. The meeting was under the chairmanship of Miss Elizabeth Daboll and the lesson was "Divine Providence."

—Miss Evans of the Home Missionary Association addressed the meeting of the Woman's Association on Wednesday afternoon at Central Church. At the close of the meeting afternoon tea was served and a social hour enjoyed, and Mrs. Muste, wife of the new minister was the guest of honor.

—The next meeting of the Every Saturday Club will be held January 10th at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield S. Smyth on Newtonville avenue. The subject will be "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde." Intensive Study, Comparison with Poe's "William Wilson." Mr. Samuel Thurber will be chairman for the evening and will be assisted by Mr. Theodore A. Hildreth and Mrs. Joseph W. Willey.

—The Portland (Me.) Express and Advertiser had the following item in its issue of Dec. 31st which will be of interest to many persons in this village, "A delightful affair was the coffee given this morning by Mrs. W. E. Chandler at her home on Westcott street in honor of her son's fiancée, Miss Helen W. French, of Newtonville, Mass. The rooms were prettily decorated with the Christmas colors, red, white, and green, and Christmas greens being everywhere in evidence with the Christmas wreaths at the windows, and the fireplace was decorated to give the keynote to the color scheme. The Portland Band Orchestra furnished the music, and at the tables were Miss Mary Hanson, Miss Edith Trickey, Miss Helen King, Miss Olive Eastman, Miss Ina Barbour, Miss Dorothy Rundlett, Miss Ruth Hayden and Miss Irene Hayden. Among the guests at the coffee this morning was Mrs. Grace Farrington Homstead of Seattle, Washington, formerly of this city and a niece of Mr. W. E. Chandler, and she was warmly greeted. Miss French arrived in Portland last evening and will be much entertained while here. She is an unusually charming girl and was met this morning by a large number of Portland people who were glad of this opportunity to greet her."

SKATING CARNIVAL

One of the most delightful outdoor social events of the New Year was the skating carnival on Friday evening at the Brae-Burn Country Club, West Newton.

With a clear full moonlight in the charming environment of the Club, amid tall trees that awayed with their fleecy burdens, and with just enough snap in the air to make it exhilarating, the members and their guests enjoyed the healthful sport, gliding over the ice to the accompaniment of alternate music by the Salem Cadet Band and a hurdy-gurdy.

A huge bon fire was lighted close to the band stand, and it was kept burning during the evening. There was an infinite variety of skaters skimming over the smooth surface of the pond, which was festooned with myriads of various colored Japanese lanterns, giving a weird and exceedingly picturesque effect, especially when the moon drifted behind a cloud, and a light flurry of snow began falling over the animated scene. One part of the rink was lighted by a big arc light under which some of the skating enthusiasts gave exhibition of clever fancy skating and waltzed to the strains of "The Beautiful Blue Danube," which the band struck up.

Viewed from the broad verandas of the Club house, the carnival was a most inspiring vision; a wonderfully picturesque and colorful picture which no painter could reproduce.

Outdoor sport makes physical life a delight, and Brae-Burn has provided every necessary facility for the enjoyment of winter delights, and on New Year's night there was nothing lacking to give zest to the outdoor pleasures of the carnival.

The tonic of the air, the flying snow, the brilliant lights and music, all combined to make it most invigorating to the merry company of skaters and spectators.

But the Club also provides a host of indoor pastimes and social enjoyments, which is part of the perennial charm of the place.

Dancing stands foremost among the indoor enjoyments, and at 9.30 the disciples of Terpsichore assembled in the sun parlors, where Mr. Russell and his excellent orchestra were ready with a selected program of up-to-date music. The festivities continued until midnight and supper was served from 10 until 11 o'clock.

"THOUGHTS," ON CHRISTMAS EVE
December 24, 1914.
(C. F. R.)

As the dove on rapid pinion flies,
So flies Time
And the chime
Of Christmas bells, so lately ringing,
And the sweet toned voices singing
Joyous carols,
Again, awake the echoes of the night.
As the darkness takes its flight
And, gives way to dawn,
Breaks the glad Christmas morn.
And heavenly voices loud proclaim
The glory of the Saviour's name.
Singing, ever singing
"Glory to God in the highest;
Peace on earth, good will to men,"
As the Angel voices
Break the silence of the morn
The dove of Peace
Wings his way on faltering pinion;
For the Word is yet unheeded
And, of men's hate and passion
Dread war is born.
Father in Heaven; grant thy children
Peace.

MR. DAVIS DEAD

Mr. Francis Warren Davis, a graduate of the Newton High School with the class of 1908, died recently at his home in Brookline at the age of twenty-four, after a lingering illness of two years. On graduation from High School he entered Bowdoin College with the class of 1912, and was for three years active in the musical interests of the college as a member of the glee club and the choir. On account of illness he was forced to leave Bowdoin, and started his fourth year with the class of 1913 at Harvard, but was unable to complete his course on account of continued sickness. He was a member of the Psi Upsilon fraternity and the Kappa Gamma Chi Society. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Carrie A. Davis.

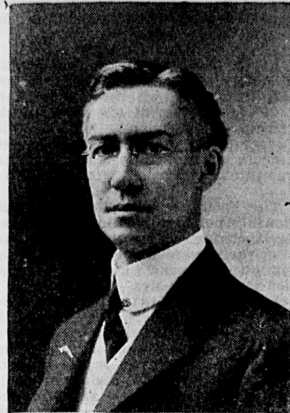
NEW CITY GOVERNMENT

(Continued from Page 1.)

The European war has made unusual conditions. The finances of the world are more or less upset, many financial and mercantile institutions have failed and none of us can foresee the actual conditions of the year.

While the city has reduced its bonded indebtedness and is financially in good condition, its tax rate was considerably increased. An abnormally high tax rate does not induce active growth but hinders it. On the other hand the depreciation of securities may make it impossible for the Assessors to advance personal taxes in the usual proportion and our average income may be thus reduced.

Strictest economy and retrenchment on all matters is essentially necessary and advisable for 1915, keeping in mind that Newton is growing steadily, and certain provisions must be made for the enlarged population of ten or twenty years hence.



Alderman GUY M. WINSLOW
Vice-President, Board of Aldermen

Alderman Guy M. Winslow of ward 4 was then unanimously elected vice-president, and similar honors were accorded City Treasurer Francis Newhall and Clerk of Committees J. C. Brimblecom.

The usual routine orders starting the wheels of the city for a new year were passed, including orders to establish office hours at City Hall, to furnish postage to City Hall departments, to pay discharged laborers, authorizing temporary loans of \$700,000, granting \$158,941.50 for city expenses in January, and assigning a meeting on January 13 to elect a successor to Alderman A. W. Blakemore, of ward 1.

Mayor Childs sent in the appointments of Frank W. Chase as a trustee of the Boston Fund, Walter P. Randlett as Forest Warden and Inspector of Petroleum, W. W. Colton as Supt. of Gypsy Mowk, and these assistant assessors, Howard B. Coffin, T. D. Murphy, Joseph Byers, John G. Thompson, Frank E. Hunter, Bernard D. Farrell, W. F. Hadlock, Gordon McMullin, Chauncey B. Moore, Bertrand Y. Degen, Henry H. Read, and Henry C. Daniels.

Betterment assessments of Frank Locke on Hobart and Monadnock roads were apportioned and a petition received from the Telephone Co. for attachments on Farwell street.

President Blanchard announced the appointment of the following committees:

Claims and Rules: Bartlett, chairman; Cabot, Jarvis, Murphy, Rice.

Finance: Pratt, chairman; Allen, Bartlett, Jamieson, Murphy, Winslow, Blanchard.

Finance, Licenses and City Buildings: Rice, chairman; Cox, Hapgood, Hollis, Jarvis and Malcolm.

Public Works: Early, chairman; Alley, Cabot, Clark, Cobb, Forknall, Harman.

Schools: Jamieson, chairman; Hapgood, Winslow.

Mayor's Address: Cox, chairman; Cabot, Clark, Jarvis, Winslow.

Kendrick Fund: Forknall, chairman; Early, Pratt.

Legislation: Allen, Alley, Cobb, Harman, Hollis, Malcolm, President Blanchard.

WANTED WORK

The Boston Globe recently printed the following article which will be of interest to friends of Mr. and Mrs. Chase in this city.

If you aren't known, haven't any money nor any job, it's better to be a woman than a man. At least, that is the conclusion to which Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Chase came while trying to experiment of making their own way in Rochester, N. Y.

For the woman got not only one job, but when Europe, its Causes and Consequences. FOT9.J63

Kilpatrick, James A. Tommy Atkins at War, as told in his Own Letters. FOT9.K55

Knight, William Allen. The Well by Bethlehem's Gate. BP.K74

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—Telephone MacLean, 725 North, for anything in carpenter line. Advt. —Mrs. Carleton F. Stanley of Willard street has returned from an outing at Woodstock, Vt.

—Prof. H. K. Rowe will speak next Sunday noon at Elliot Church on the subject, "Congregationalist Ancestors."

—The Men's Club of Grace Church will meet next Monday evening but with a change in program as the scheduled speaker will not be present.

—Patrick Pope of Crescent street, Nonantum was found early Tuesday morning on Pearl street with a fractured leg and was taken to the Newton Hospital.

—At the January meeting of the Christian Forum next Sunday evening at Elliot Church Dr. Graham Taylor of the Chicago Commons will speak on "Humanized Religion Emphasized by War."

—Mr. Clinton H. Scovell of Grasmere street dined the members of his company and business staff from the Boston, New York, Chicago and Springfield offices last Saturday night at Young's Hotel, about 30 being present.

—One of the most warmly contested basketball games of the season was played Saturday evening between the Newton and the Springfield Y. M. C. A. teams at Springfield, the local team winning 33 to 23. The game was a fast one, and many good and difficult shots were made. Jackson and Chapin featured for the home team by shooting 16 baskets.

—The annual banquet and meeting of the Stanley Mutual Benefit Association was held Friday evening in Nonantum Hall, Newton. The toastmaster was Daniel O'Connell. The new officers are Joseph P. Flynn, president; Willard G. Clossy, vice president; James A. McDonald, secretary; John J. Sullivan, treasurer; G. F. Stanley and Howard A. O'Grady, trustees; and H. W. Twigg, J. P. Chamberland, C. F. Keating, W. H. Hanson and H. S. Bayley, directors.

RECENT ADDITIONS TO THE LIBRARY

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Berriman, Algernon E. Aviation: an introduction to the elements of flight. SZ.B459

Bonstelle, Jessie, and De Forest, M. eds. Little Women Letters from the House of Alcott. EA3554.B

Boys' Book of Battles; with illustrations from famous paintings. J.U.A.B71

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Bruce, G. J. Brazil and the Brazilians. G99.B83

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Fisher, Irving. Why is the Dollar Shrinking? a study in the high cost of living. HMP.F53

Fryer, Jane E. The Mary Francis Cook Book; or Adventures among the Kitchen People. JRV.F94

Fuess, Claude Moore, ed. Selected Letters. YC.F95

German Army from Within; by a British officer who has served in it. UB47.G31

Johnson, Edwin Rossiter, ed. The War in Europe, its Causes and Consequences. FOT9.J63

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ANNUAL REUNION

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—An all day sewing meeting of the Woman's League of the Church of the New Jerusalem was held Thursday in the church parlors.

—Miss Mary Barry of Walnut street has returned from a vacation spent visiting friends and relatives in Springfield and Amherst.

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—The regular meeting of the Lend-a-Hand Society will be held Wednesday evening at the residence of Miss Carrie L. Waugh on Court street.

—Mrs. Osmos Hyde entertained at dinner on Thursday evening at her residence in Roxbury in honor of Miss Harriet Morse and her fiancée, Mr. Nicholas Richardson.

—Mr. and Mrs. Mark G. Magnuson (Myra Schofield) of Minneapolis, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Mark G. Magnuson, Jr., on Sunday, January 3rd.

—The annual supper and business meeting will be held this evening at Central Congregational Church. Supper will be served at 6.30 after which the reports for the year's work will be read.

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES

The Annual Meeting of the Associated Charities of Newton will be held on Thursday, Jan. 14, at 4.30 P. M., in Room 7, Central Block, Newtonville. All members of the corporation are invited.

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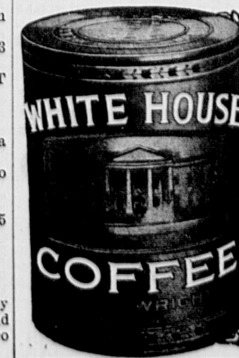
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WOMEN'S CLUBS

Miss GRACE M. BURT, Editor

Hardly are clubs through with reports from one Biennial, when the next place of entertainment begins its preparations. New York will be the meeting place for the one in 1916 and its Local Biennial Board officers were elected on Nov. 24th. Headquarters have been opened in Hotel Astor and the Board will be glad to welcome any visitors who would like information in regard to the 1916 Biennial. The month of May has been decided upon, but the exact dates will not be announced at present.

On the off year it will be remembered there is held a Council Meeting, which all club women may attend, and those who went to Washington two years ago this coming spring brought back glowing accounts of the proceedings. This year, since the coming Biennial is to be in the East, the Council will meet in Portland, Oregon, in early June and preparations are being made whereby club women may travel thither reasonably and combine with it a visit to the Panama-Pacific Exposition in San Francisco.

Public Health Conference

By invitation of the Ladies' Physiological Institute a Conference of the Public Health department of the State Federation will be held in Chipman Hall, Tremont Temple, on Thursday, Jan. 14. Morning session at ten o'clock and one in the afternoon at two. Subjects of vital importance will be treated by eminent physicians. All club women are cordially invited to attend, admittance by personal card bearing name of club.

Local Announcements

On Jan. 11 the Waban Woman's Club will hold an open evening meeting in Union Church vestry when Dr. Charles R. Brown will lecture on "The Fight Against War."

The Newton Highlands Monday Club will hold its meeting in Odd Fellows' hall on Jan. 11.

On Monday afternoon the C. L. S. C. of Newton Highlands will meet with Mrs. W. T. Logan of Forest street.

The Auburndale Review Club will meet with Mrs. Edward J. Frost, 379 Central street, next Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Harriet L. B. Darling will lecture before the Home Economics department of the Newtonville Woman's Guild next Tuesday afternoon on "Economic and Legitimate Extravagances in the Home."

At the meeting of the Social Science Club next Wednesday morning Miss Helen Varick Boswell will speak of "Experiences in the Canal Zone." Members may invite guests.

Local Happenings

Thursday of last week was Daughters' Day at the Newton Centre Woman's Club, and the members and their daughters were very pleasantly entertained by a charming reading of "Friend Hannah," given by Mrs. Elizabeth Pooler Rice. After the reading refreshments were served.

The club has handed over to the Red Cross headquarters in Brooklyn 284 new, finished garments, which the members have made. The work for the foreign sufferers is not given up, but discontinued for the present on account of more urgent need at home.

The annual Luncheon-Bridge given by the Newton Mothers' Club is always a most enjoyable occasion and the one held at the Brae-Burn Country Club this year was no less so than its predecessors. The guests sat down to luncheon shortly after one o'clock. Following the luncheon the Waban rendered charmingly several songs and then the company adjourned to the card tables, thirty-five being filled, while many more tickets were taken. A substantial sum was netted for the philanthropic work of the club.

On Monday afternoon the Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. met with Mrs. A. F. Hayward of Centre street and Miss Marion Morse was in charge of the work, presenting a most interesting paper upon "Irish Music." The work of the bards was touched upon, their music and poetry. The music of Ireland, folk songs and ballads, the love song, too, is natural to the Irish nature. The dance music, the jigs, reels of different kinds, were explained. Something was told of the different collections of Irish songs and examples of them were charmingly rendered by Miss Newhall. Miss Morse, herself, gave illustrations of the instrumental music, Victorian records were also used and those present joined in singing "The Last Rose of Summer" as an appropriate closing.

Last Saturday afternoon fifteen members of the Newton Highlands Monday Club made the annual pilgrimage to the Newton City Home where they found the members of the family more than usually glad to welcome them. A short program by way of entertainment included readings by Mrs. W. E. Bowen and the singing of old-time songs by all. After that there was a social hour with refreshments. The members carried a gift to each of the residents.

At the regular meeting of the club held on Monday afternoon at the home of Miss Amanda Webster two of the Nature Lovers, John Burroughs and John Muir, were the subject of study. Selections from Burroughs' "Birds and Poets" were read by Mrs. Bowen and by Mrs. C. G. Wetherbee. Miss Cassie Cushing read portions of John Muir's "Story of my Boyhood and Youth."

A large and enthusiastic audience at the meeting of the Newtonville Wo-

man's Guild on Tuesday afternoon greeted Mr. Haverall W. Hubbard for his Opera Talk on "Lohengrin." Mr. Hubbard is being heard so frequently among the clubs and presents his subject in so interesting a manner that he never fails to draw an audience and his work is so well known that comment upon his lecture is unnecessary. Mr. Floyd M. Baxter rendered selections from the opera adding much to the pleasure of the audience.

A collection for Belgian and Red Cross work was taken at this meeting and the notice was given that the weekly sewing meetings on Friday at the New Church are to be resumed. The members of the club are anticipating the annual Guest Night which is announced for Jan. 19, when Mrs. E. M. Bishop, under the title of "Sentimental Bouquets and Brickbats," will impersonate many of the familiar figures at Washington.

At the meeting of the Auburndale Woman's Club held in Burr School hall on Tuesday afternoon Miss Mary C. Wiggin spoke of the work of the Consumers' League. Miss Sallie Turner sang delightfully with Miss Lincoln at the piano. The program was in charge of the Civics committee.

The Social Science Club held its monthly business meeting on Wednesday morning. After the routine business there were several reports from committees among which may be mentioned that of Mrs. Lutz, who is a delegate to the Newton Federation Educational committee; Mrs. Vernon B. Sweet reported the annual meeting of the Consumers' League, among things being tried this year is the preparation of a white list of restaurants, similar to that of bakeries and of tailors prepared some time ago. Miss Drury spoke of the papers, which become scattered from the rubbish barrels placed on the sidewalk for removal by the City teams. She urged the pressing down of the rubbish tightly in the barrels, which would be some help in the matter.

On Wednesday afternoon the Pierian Club met with Mrs. Chadwick. Mrs. Barker, a former president of the Waban Woman's Club, told of her experiences in a trip to Labrador and Newfoundland and Mrs. Nutter gave a paper on Dr. Grenfell and his work. Refreshments were served and social hour enjoyed.

HUNNEWELL CLUB

The first bowling tournament closed this week, with the team of J. A. Hathaway, C. F. Stanley, E. F. Burbank, Dr. R. A. Reid and F. R. Chapman in first place. A Boston pin tournament began on Wednesday of this week with 17 teams entered the competition. Neighborhood Night on Tuesday had the smallest party of the winter. Dancing, as usual, was the principal attraction. The ladies serving at the tables were Mrs. Elmer L. Gibbs, Mrs. G. H. Wright, Mrs. E. E. Hayward and Mrs. E. W. Crawford.

More than a hundred children were present at the New Year's party last Saturday afternoon and almost as many parents attended as children. A most enjoyable entertainment was given under the direction of Miss Clyde Carpenter. Miss Edith Fisher and Miss Marjorie Holmes, consisting of songs by Master Edward Wheeler, a solo dance by his sister, Eleanor Wheeler, a little play entitled "The Doll's Frigate," in which Ruth Furlong, Jeannette Curtiss, Barbara Estabrook, Eleanor Wheeler and Caroline Fisher took part. Mrs. E. S. Wheeler gave a capital monologue and was followed by a ventriloquist. After refreshments, there was a dance until five o'clock. The children were furnished with paper caps and with an abundance of ribbon confetti the hall was quite attractive and everyone had a jolly good time.

SARAH HULL CHAPTER, D. R.

The Sarah Hull Chapter, D. R., held its regular meeting at the Newton Club House, Newtonville, Wednesday, January 6, 1915, at the usual hour.

The program for the afternoon was Waban, who gave a most interesting talk on "Birds," illustrated by colored sketches of those native to our own woods and fields; he also reproduced the call and songs by whistling and read many poems describing them in a very life-like manner.

The lecture was most thoroughly enjoyed by all present, among whom was Mrs. Crowell, the State Regent of the Pennsylvania D. R., who as the guest of honor made a few remarks in response to Mrs. Franklin Smith's invitation to do so.

The music consisted of piano selections from Chopin, Liszt and others, played by Miss Frost of Newton Highlands.

Refreshments were then served in the dining hall.

The hostesses were Mrs. E. P. Bosson, Mrs. C. S. Ensign, Mrs. F. B. Fletcher, Mrs. A. F. Hayward, Mrs. Lew C. Hill, Mrs. Samuel P. May.

FUNERAL OF MRS. M. L. HOLDS-WORTH

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary L. Holdsworth, formerly of Auburndale, widow of M. M. Holdsworth, for many years one of the popular conductors on the Boston and Albany railroad, took place last Sunday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Ella E. Morrill, at 241 Columbus avenue, Boston. Rev. W. C. Gordon of the Auburndale Congregational Church, officiated, and after pronouncing the eulogy, read "At Rest, She is Asleep." The Governor Gore Quartet sang "Sometime We'll Understand," "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," "Gathering Home" and chanted the Lord's Prayer. The burial service of the Rebekahs was performed by the officers of Justitia Lodge, D. of R., 79, followed by the beautiful and impressive service of the Woman's Relief Corps by Charles Russell Lowell Corps 28. There was a large delegation present from Greenhalge Lodge 277, N. E. O. P., including supreme and grand officers. The floral tributes were many and beautiful, the pieces from the various orders being especially notable. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery, Brighton.

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NEWTON CLUB NOTES

The largest aggregation of bowling teams ever brought together in the Newton Club has entered the new spring tournament which began last week. Twelve men's teams will contest for the spring prizes, and it is expected that a great deal of exciting revelry will be brought about by this season's work. On men's night, January 2, Everett H. Jenkins was the winner of the evening's prizes. Special arrangements have been completed whereby at the informal neighborhood night dances on Thursday night, January 7 and 21, February 4 and 18, March 4 and 18, and April 1 and 15, there will be an opportunity for members and their ladies to observe and learn the latest new dances. Miss Marguerite Collins will be present on each Thursday night, and will assist members and their ladies whenever requested. Miss Collins is a teacher of considerable note, and her simple method is expected to be of great value to both old and young. A collection will be served on all of the nights noted, and an orchestra will be in attendance on neighborhood night, excepting that which follows a formal assembly once a month on Wednesday night. Dancing will be from 8.15 to 11.30.

In order to extend the interests of the club to members and ladies who do not care for bowling or dancing, the card-rooms will be open, and it is hoped that the informal bridge evenings will be of sufficient interest and well patronized to warrant the giving of prizes every Thursday night.

On Wednesday evening, January 6, a musical was given by five artists of rare accomplishments. Not only was one of the sopranos an excellent accompanist, but the contralto was also a dainty and accomplished danseuse. A program of 18 numbers was given, comprising waltz songs, harp solos, duets for soprano, contralto and solo dancing, which entertained an audience not so large as should have been present, the inclement weather detaining many members at home. The fine art of the harpist, Mme. Contibenz, was greatly appreciated, the rendition of the first movement from Thomas's Concerto being heartily applauded. The "Spring Song," sung by Miss Blaisdell, was charmingly rendered, and the two solos for the alto, Mrs. Dr. Fried of Newtonville, brought forth a rich voice which gave a great deal of pleasure in its variety of tone and flexibility of phrasing. The "Melisande in the Wood" of Goetz, a somber, dramatic tone-poem, was effectively rendered with much appreciation of the dramatic phrasing on the part of the singer. The "Pearly Lovers," by Little gave a great deal of pleasure. Mrs. Barr's soprano solo, "Nymphs and Fauns," by Benberg, was given with sprightly expression and appreciative response by the audience. Mrs. Helen Rumsey Smith's dancing interested many in the audience, her exhibition of all the movements in the fox trot revealing a grace and charm to that dance which is rarely seen in a ball-room, and many of the steps proving the exhibition value of the dance. Her Pierrotte dance was also interesting; her clownish costume lending charm to the steps which she took.

All in all, this musical was one of the most charming ever given at the club, and keeps up the high caste of entertainment which the committee is endeavoring to give to members.

Last evening the club house was again full of members, their families and guests, enjoying the bowling, dancing, bridge and billiards. The new year begins with a few changes in the roster of the club, although there have been fewer defections than were expected on account of the bad times.

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A. BRACKETT & SON, NEWTON**West Newton**

—Mrs. G. E. Peters of Prince street is visiting at Waterbury, Conn.

—Mrs. M. E. Langley of Cherry street entertained at bridge on Wednesday afternoon.

—Mr. D. W. Andrews and family of Forest Hills have moved into the house at 232 Cherry street.

—The Book Club meet with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Tolman of Highland street on Wednesday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. William D. Shaughnessy of North Prospect street have removed to Oak Square.

—Mr. and Mrs. William H. Bacon of Temple street are entertaining relatives from Brooklyn, N. Y.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Crimmins of Dartmouth street entertained at dinner on Tuesday evening.

—Rev. Mr. Jaynes will give a talk to the young people of the Unitarian parish at 7.30 Sunday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Philip W. Carter of Balcarras road gave a well attended musical on Wednesday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. William E. Gill of Highland avenue have been spending the past week in New York city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Wait of Prince street have been entertaining their son from Montreal, Canada.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Davis of Highland avenue have returned from a visit with their daughter at Cleveland, Ohio.

—Miss Vera Retan, who has been spending her vacation at her home on Forest avenue, returned on Wednesday to Oberlin, Ohio.

—Mr. Richard Warren, who has been passing the holidays at his home on Fountain street has resumed his college course at Cornell.

—The members of the Merry-Go-Round had a table, and took part in the festivities at the Copley Plaza on New Year's Eve, in Boston.

—Miss Ada Whitmore of Sterling street and Miss Beatrice Newhall of Temple street have resumed their studies at Northampton, Mass.

—Miss Virginia Anthony, who has been a holiday guest of Miss Lucile Retan of Forest avenue returned on Monday to her home in Detroit, Mich.

—Mrs. Charles S. Cook, Jr., of Valentine street will have a paper on "Joan of Arc" at the meeting of the Women's Alliance next Wednesday morning.

—The Farther Lights Society of the Lincoln Park Baptist Church held its monthly meeting at Mrs. W. A. Sweet's, Washington street, last Monday evening.

—The W. C. T. U. will hold an evangelistic meeting at the home of Mrs. J. W. Showler, 876 Watertown street next Monday at 7.45 P. M. with Mrs. C. C. Parlin, as leader.

—Senator John W. Weeks and family of Valentine street have gone to their winter home at Washington, D. C. Mr. C. Sinclair Weeks is recuperating in North Carolina for a few weeks.

—Rev. A. A. Hobson, Ph.D., will give a Lecture-Recital at the Lincoln Park Church, on the evening of Tuesday, Jan. 12, based on the Life and Poetry of Paul Lawrence Dunbar, the noted negro poet. This is the third number in the lecture and entertainment course and promises to be one of the best.

—Mrs. Thomas F. Baxter of Bristol road entertained the West Newton Music Club on Monday evening and an interesting program was rendered by Miss Florence M. Carter at the piano, Miss Elsie Kimberley on the violin, and vocal selections by Mrs. Keach Ferrin, Miss Bernice Keach and Mr. W. H. Roope. Miss Lillian West was the accompanist and the program was in charge of Miss Sladen and Mr. Leighton.

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Newton Highlands

—Mr. C. F. Libbey of Hyde street has returned from Sherbrooke, Canada.

—Mr. C. S. Chapin of Newton Centre has purchased the house at 26 Saxon road.

—The C. L. S. C. will meet Monday, Jan. 11 with Mrs. Logan of Forest street.

—The Monday Club met this week with Miss Amanda Webster on Chester street.

—Mr. C. H. Clark and family of Lake avenue has returned from a visit at Palmer, Mass.

—The Shakespeare Club met last Saturday afternoon with Miss Newhall on Hartford street.

—Miss Mildred Levi of Chester street left Tuesday for Brooklyn, N. Y., to visit friends.

—Mr. Wm. O. Litchner of Centre street has returned from a visit to relatives in Chicago.

—Mr. J. S. Sedgwick of Floral street has been confined to the house the past week by illness.

—A successful concert was given in Lincoln Hall on Tuesday evening by the Highland Glee Club.

—Miss Hills, who has been visiting at her home on Centre street returned to Providence, R. I., Tuesday.

—Miss Esther Elliot, who passed the holidays at her home on Walnut street has returned to Smith College.

—Mrs. Emily W. Hyde of Floral street has been entertaining her grandson, Mr. Frank C. Hyde of Colorado Springs.

—Mr. Clark Hyde from Colorado, who has been visiting relatives in this village, has been quite ill at the Newton Hospital the past week.

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—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Clarke of Lake avenue have the sympathy of their friends in the death on Saturday of their infant daughter, Jane.

—Many members of the Monday Club made their annual pilgrimage to the New City Home on Winchester street last Saturday afternoon.

—Miss H. C. Hamilton of Providence, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Letteney of Allerton road has returned to her home.

—Miss Mabel Sedgwick, who has been spending the holidays at her home on Floral street has returned to Hyde Park, where she teaches school.

—Mr. Alfred H. Broderick of Chester street has been named as a temporary director of the Atlantic Harbor Railroad Co. organized to build a railroad from Jacksonville, Fla., to Fort George Island.

—Crystal Lake Council, No. 1922, Royal Arcanum, held its installation exercises in Odell Follows' Hall, on Monday evening. Previous to the meeting a banquet was held. Including members and visitors there was an attendance of one hundred. Among those present were Horace G. Williams, S.S.D.G.R., C. Edgar Searing, Grand Regent; William L. Kelt, Grand Secretary; Edward J. Bryson, P.G.R., and George H. Wiley, P.G.R., who assisted the installing officers. Those inducted into office were George G. Sherman, Regent; Charles P. Barrows, Vice Regent; Frederic S. Pryor, Orator; C. David Hull, S.P.R.; Edward F. Melia, Secretary; Thomas F. Green, Collector; W. R. K. Mick, Treasurer; Duran D. Blue, Chaplain; George S. German, Guide; Charles S. German, Warden; William G. Sawyer, Sentry, and Charles L. Rhodes, Trustee. The retiring Regent, C. D. Hull, was presented on behalf of the Council by Henry W. Crowell, P. R. a Past Regent's Jewel. Several other gifts were presented by members of the Grand Board among the recipients being H. W. Crowell, P. R. and Geo. G. Sherman the Regent. Following the exercises the installing officer, H. C. Williams, delivered an interesting address followed by the Grand Regent and others on the Deputy's suite. Visitors were present from Dorchester, Natick, Allston and other neighboring cities. After its regular meeting Odell Follows' Hall, on Monday evening, Jan. 18, a social whist party will be held.

N. T. H. S.

—Misses Currier and Reed of the Senior Class, Salem Normal School, are assisting in the Commercial department.

—A rehearsal of the Girls' Glee Club was held Monday after school under the direction of Mr. Wingard. The Club is to meet every Monday, and will render songs at the Public Declaration.

—The Rev. Mr. James W. Campbell, of the Newtonville Methodist Church, delivered a talk on "A Trip to Cairo" to all the girls in the school. It was illustrated by stereopticon views.

—The Sophomore nominating committee, composed of Dennis Sullivan, chairman, Hall Caggins, Miss Ruth Taylor, and Miss Anne McKee, met Wednesday afternoon.

—The fourth annual dancing party under the auspices of the Newton High School Commercial Alumni Association will be held this evening in Temple Hall, Newtonville. The arrangements were under the direction of J. E. Kelley, president of the association; Misses Esther Bryson, Anna Mae Cavanaugh, Margaret Cotton, Frances Ireland, Louise Moffat, Mary H. McFadden and John Hines, Leroy B. Hurd, E. Arthur Quilty and E. A. Nowers. The patronesses will be Mrs. Edwin O. Childs, Miss Kate Wiley and Mrs. John Eneagess.

—The Girls' Basket Ball teams practise every week; the Juniors on Tuesday and the Seniors on Thursday.

—A course in "Local Industries" is being taught by Mr. Dalon to two classes of Freshman boys of 35 each. The boys go to different factories in Newton and question the managers. They report on their visits to the class through written themes, and try to answer any questions put to them. This new subject is an addition to the Business course.

—The Friday Senior Assembly is in the hands of the Clerical girls. Miss Edith Johnson is the chairman, and Miss Marion O'Connell, secretary.

—The total enrollment in the Senior class is 167. This is an exceptional class there being one more boy than girls. The class of 1915 has a larger membership than the Sophomore class.

Waban

—Mr. Hall Walker has returned to the Stanton Military Academy in Virginia.

—Mr. Harry H. Ham of Windsor road is on a week's business trip thru Canada.

—Mr. and Mrs. Holmes of Charles-town have moved into their new home recently completed on Waban road.

—Miss Katherine Oaks, who spent the holidays at her home on Upland street, has returned to Wellesley College.

—Mr. Ripley Cutler, who has been spending the holidays at his home on Moffat road, has resumed his studies at Yale.

—Miss Trask, who taught at the Roger Wolcott School during the absence of Miss Lincoln, has returned to her home at Sterling.

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—The Ladies' Circle of the Union Church held an all day meeting in the vestry Monday with lunch at noon, and sewed for the Twombly House.

—Miss Mary Lincoln has returned from a six months' leave of absence and resumed her duties as teacher of the first and second grades at the Roger Wolcott School.

—A Freak Dance will be held in Knollwood Hall, Saturday evening under the auspices of the Waban Tennis Club. The guests will attend in freaky costumes and prizes will be awarded.

—The Young Peoples' League of the Union Church has elected the following officers for the year 1915: James Wiley, president; Thornton Taylor, vice-president; Ruth Guppy, secretary; Sidney Andrews, treasurer.

—The Church Supper and Annual Church meeting of the Union Church will be held in the vestry next Friday evening, January 15th, at 6.30. Mr. Charles E. Kelsey of Newton Centre will speak on the Sunday School and the Church.

—The next meeting of the Waban Woman's Club will be held in the Union Church vestry next Monday evening, January 11th, when Dr. Charles R. Brown will talk on "The Fight against War." All residents of Waban are invited to this meeting.

—The annual meeting of the Union Church Society was held in the vestry of the church on Monday evening when the following officers were elected for 1915: President, J. Earle Parker; Secretary, George F. Rivinius; Treasurer, Willis R. Fisher; Executive Committee, Charles A. Andrews, Harrison W. Annable and Chester W. Banton.

—The last of the first series of Cook-Woods Assemblies was held in Knollwood hall, Tuesday evening with a larger attendance than at any of the others. All were pleased to know that a second series was assured and there is much enthusiasm over what promises to be the event of the winter season, the Assemblies will be held on Tuesday evening.

—"A Scrap of Paper," a comedy in three acts translated and adapted by J. Palgrave Simpson from "Pattes de Monche" by Victorien Sardou will be presented in the vestry of the Union Church on the evenings of February 5th and 6th, by local talent including Esther Saville Davis, who starred in dramatics at Vassar a few years ago. The proceeds will be used for charitable work by the two Waban churches.

NEWTON BEATEN

It required six minutes and ten seconds overtime for Arlington High School to beat Newton High in their opening game in the Interscholastic Hockey League series at the Arena Wednesday afternoon.

Neither team showed anything but ordinary hockey. In the first period Newton High had a little the better of the argument, but in the second period Arlington High showed a big improvement and played rings around its opponent.

Arlington High had numerous chances to tally in the second period, but poor shooting by Clinton Peabody threw away at least two. Once he had eluded the outer as well as inner defenses, but his attempt for the goal went wild. The Arlington High forwards did not show much skating ability, but did play together whereas Newton's lack of team play cost that team several points.

Capt. William Wellman, who was regarded as Newton's best player, was at rover, and his work was far below the standard, as was that of Brown, the center man, who was continually loafing outside. Stickney and Burkhard, who played the wings and Fiske the cover-point, were the three Newton stars of the afternoon, while Robinson, Capt. Don Ross and Barry did the best work for Arlington.

VILLAGE NIGHT

A village night under the auspices of the Newton Highlands Improvement Association will be held in Lincoln Hall on Tuesday evening, Jan. 26. There will be a reception to Mayor and Mrs. E. O. Childs, President and Mrs. James Kingman of the association and Congressman and Mrs. William H. Carter followed by a concert and entertainment from 8 to 10 under the direction of Messrs. C. F. Johnson, Jr., and E. J. Smith.

Refreshments will be served at tables which will be numbered and reserved. Candy will be on sale. There will be dancing from 10 to 12. Mr. Frank L. Richardson is chairman of the general committee and Mr. C. W. Mercer is chairman of the reception committee. The affair is intended to promote good fellowship and neighborly feeling among the people of the village.

NEWTON WOMAN'S CLUB

Thursday, January 7, at the home of Mrs. John Walter Baker, Centre street, Newton, an auction bridge party was given under the auspices of the Newton Woman's Club. It was largely attended and the hostess with her graceful hospitality made all welcome.

The next meeting of the Newton Woman's Club will be a Musical, January 21, at the home of Mrs. Charles Whitaker Ryder, 625 Walnut street, Newtonville. Members are anticipating a great treat.

LODGES

The officers of Palestine Chapter, O. E. S., were publicly installed Wednesday evening in Masonic Hall, Newtonville, before a large gathering of guests. The installing officers were Miriam Watts, PGM, assisted by Margaret Barry, PM, of Mystic Chapter as marshal; Kate Y. Brown, WM, of Brookline Chapter as chaplain and Dr. C. E. A. Ross, PM, of Palestine Chapter as worthy patron.

DIED

GANLEY, At West Newton, Jan. 5, Annie Ganley, aged 19 yrs., 1 mo., 11 days.

DOGGETT, At Waban, Jan. 3, Charles S. Doggett of West Acton, aged 78 yrs., 9 mos., 21 days.

FULLER, At West Newton, Jan. 2, Caroline A., wife of J. Franklin Fuller, aged 71 yrs., 1 mo., 6 days.

CORT THEATRE—The last two weeks of Peg O'My Heart is announced at the Cort theatre, the engagement terminating Saturday night, January 16th. The several months that Oliver Morosco's delightful comedy has been playing at the Cort theatre it has been attended by thousands that seldom look to the theatre for their entertainment but the sweetness and the purity of the play has been the magnet of its unusual popularity, coupled together with a cast of players that brings you out of the mimic theatre into the real home life in the exacting English home something that only the true artist or artists can do convincingly. The daintiness and charm that Miss Florence Martin has brought to the character of "Peg" and the playing of Mr. Smith, Mr. Short and Mr. Bassett, who were in the original cast, Miss Tell, Miss Margaret and the remainder of the company will long be remembered with pleasure by those that have seen the play.

CITY HALL

Forest Commissioner W. W. Colton has been elected a vice-president of the Academy of American Arborists.

Water Commissioner Whitney is planning to issue the annual water bills early next week.

The Board of Health report a small number of deaths last year than in 1913 the figures being 459 in 1914 and 483 in 1913.

ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the stock holders of the First National Bank of West Newton, Newton, Mass., will be held at their banking rooms on Tuesday, January 12, 1915, at 3.30 P. M., for the election of Directors and transaction of any other business that may legally come before them.

(Signed) JOSEPH B. ROSS, Cashier, West Newton, December 4, 1914. Advt.

POLICE BENEFIT ASSOCIATION

The annual election of officers of the Newton Police Benefit Association, and also the Newton Branch of the Massachusetts Police Association was held Wednesday at Police Headquarters, West Newton. The newly elected officers of the former association are: Henry F. Tibbets, president; Charles H. Tainter, secretary; John H. Shaughnessy, treasurer; the above officers, Sergt. James J. Mullen, J. J. Monaghan, John McNeill and Edward Desmond, directors. The officers of the other organization are: Edward Desmond, president; Michael T. Hughes, vice-president; John H. Shaughnessy, secretary and treasurer.

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WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Margaret Dennett Huestis who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to her, the executrix therein named, without giving a surety on her official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-fifth day of January A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing postpaid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

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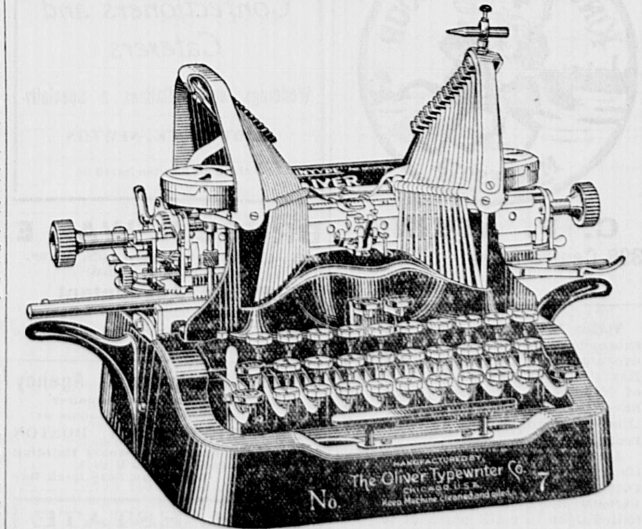
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THE MAYOR'S ADDRESS

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His successor has taken up the work where Dr. Spaulding left it and is fulfilling the duties of his exalted office in a masterly way.

Early last month Fred H. Tucker resigned as Trustee of the Read Fund and Eliot Memorial. Mr. Tucker's special work has been arranging for the Read Fund lectures.

His work has been admirably done and greatly appreciated not only by his co-trustees but by the people of this city who have attended these lectures. I have this day nominated Frank W. Chase as his successor.

Mr. Cheney L. Hatch, for several years City Auditor, left the city's employ for a more promising position in a larger field. He carried with him the best wishes of all at City Hall.

Early in the year it fell to my lot to name a successor on the Board of Health. Mr. John Madden was appointed and unanimously confirmed. He is, I believe, an improvement on his predecessor.

Charles E. Gibson refused a reappointment to the Playground Commission that he might devote all of his time to the Planning Board.

Ralph W. Angier made his successor. He is a safe man for the boys and for the city.

Nineteen hundred and fourteen recorded the death of Newton's foremost citizen, Frank A. Day.

The life he lived makes possible his influence still among us although the face we loved to look at we no longer see.

And now, gentlemen, "to our work." We are charged with the management of the government of this city. We have been entrusted with the duty of protecting the interests of all the people.

There are grave responsibilities resting upon us which doubtless we all appreciate. Watchful care and conscientious economy must be our watch words and yet we must remember that economy which sacrifices the safety and comfort of our people is neither conscientious nor wise.

In talking with you as I have I do not claim any superior knowledge of our city's needs.

If you do not think wise of my suggestions I shall still stand ready and more than willing to aid you in the enforcement of measures which you may propose.

Let us not act as politicians but as men—as trustees to whose care and keeping has been committed a public trust.

For my part I have no political aspirations. I have been asked if I would be a candidate for re-election by men who were interested in my candidacy a year ago. I have given them the answer that I shall try the coming year to render impartial service and that if at the end of that time they still desire that I be a candidate I certainly should accede to their wishes.

If on the other hand they are dissatisfied they can send me back to the place where they came to get me in that interesting section of our city where I have worked for the past 15 years not for the lawlessness and rum and rebellion as some have told you but where I have worked and still am working for law and order and temperance and brotherly love.

And the greatest of these is brotherly love. Would to God that more men in this city had an abundance of it in their hearts.

Whatever the future may have in store for any of us—let our service here be of such character that at the end of our term we may truthfully say that

"We have fought the good fight
We have finished our course,
We have kept the faith."

Realizing then that this service upon which we enter is a battle let us fight it bravely.

If we view it as a course, let us run it eagerly. If we consider it a faith keeping let us hold to it firmly, so that we will merit that "well done, good and faithful servant."

Servants—public servants it is that we are, gentlemen and let us so serve that no man who knows much of us may be ashamed of us, we'll not be ashamed of ourselves.

APPEAL FOR FUNDS

(Continued from Page 1.)

bers is simply wonderful. J. is returning with more stores and twenty more men on Wednesday or Thursday and when he returns we shall have more details. J. and S. have a charming Belgian family and maid as guests. They had a lovely home and large factory in Malines and now everything is levelled to the ground and they are penniless. When you see such capable men and women cast out of home and country it magnifies the iniquity a thousand fold.

I am coming to the point where I don't like to proceed, but J. asked me if I can't write you on behalf of the "Friends' Anglo-French and Belgian Ambulance Unit." They are self-supporting, and it is difficult amid all the claims on every side here to raise all the money for the up-keep of sixty men. Many of them have left situations, and are not able to do much for themselves. If you care to contribute, and try to interest your friends in the cause, and send a cheque for the amount to W. C. Braithwaite, Treasurer, Banbury, Oxon, England, I shall be very grateful. I thought perhaps some might give to this definite object. Or if any comforts for soldiers or refugees are being sent we should be very glad to distribute. E. B. sent me £10 to do what I liked with, and I sent £5 for Belgian babies (born since their arrival in Holland!) and £5 for the Ambulance.

I am starting a work among soldiers' wives to keep them out of the public houses. The drinking amongst women is terrible. Poor lonely things—no change in their lives when husband is so far off, and may not write more than that he is well, etc.

We are full of work. It would not do otherwise. England is a thoughtful nation just now, and I feel it is a great opportunity to show our love for the weary, anxious, sad ones.

SKATING AT BOYD PLAYGROUND

(Continued from Page 1.)

Playground at the present time is the construction of a temporary dam some twenty feet in front of the culvert. This cannot be done for less than \$250 if it is to hold, and unless a dam of this construction holds the water pressure it is simply a waste of money.

The flooding of this Playground, which is an open field and at the same time a thoroughfare for adults and for children, forces up to place watchmen there night and day during the time such a thoroughfare is being changed into a pond. This amounts to a daily expense of about \$5.00 and for about six weeks would amount to an expense of \$200. Add to that the expense for sweeping and for resurfacing the ice, which has to be done frequently in this climate, and we have the total previously mentioned.

We have in the past considered the building of a permanent dam which could be closed at a very small annual expense. Such a dam would cost about \$900. If this were done, we would still have the expense of night and day watchmen since the flooding by this method brings the water, in some parts of the Park, to a depth of seven to eight feet.

The only way to make the annual expense for skating on Boyd Park a reasonable expenditure would be the changing of the surface of the whole Park and the construction of a dike along the whole length of the brook. A change of this kind would not cost more than \$1500. It would make the flooding an expense of about \$20, and would give us a uniform depth of water on the Playground of not more than twelve inches.

It is greatly desired that all people interested in this get together and that the sum necessary for making the changes be secured before another winter. To get our young people out of doors during the winter months, or in other words, to provide good skating, is one of the best methods of improving the health of our people.

There will be a small area sprayed for skating on Boyd Playground, but this will, however, be only large enough for the younger children. No hockey playing will be allowed on the small skating rink.

It is contemplated to put lights at Bulboughs Pond in order to facilitate the evening skating.

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At the Parochial School hall Wednesday evening the Catholic Union held a contest in oratory, with Mayor Childs of Newton, Mayor Thomas F. Kearns of Waltham and Mr. P. Sarsfield Cuniff of Watertown as the judges. Ten minutes were given each of the following contestants and subjects—Charles P. York, on "Americanism and Catholicism," Warren J. Clear, on "International Peace—The Ideal," J. Neal McDonald on "A Plea," Robert J. Burns on "Daniel O'Connell—The Liberator," George S. Hennessey on "Louis Pasteur" and Thomas Hanron on "The School and the Nation." An enjoyable concert program was rendered during the evening by the Catholic Union Orchestra: Mr. Thomas F. Fitzgerald, director, assisted by Miss Bridget Murnaghan, violin, Mr. Anthim Derosier, cornet, the Hanlon Duo, piano and violin and vocal selections by Messrs. Joseph Antonelli and Henry Doherty. Mayor Childs, as chairman of the judges awarded the gold medal to Mr. Warren J. Clear.

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To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Arthur S. Davis late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Seraphina H. Davis of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the eleventh day of January A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-first day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and fourteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

Notice Is Hereby Given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of James B. Cook late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MARY S. COOK, Adm.

(Address)
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December 29, 1914.

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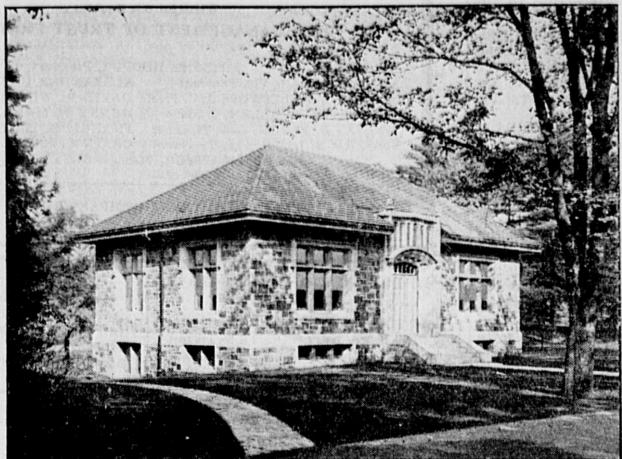
NEWTON, MASS., FRIDAY, JANUARY 15, 1915.

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NEW OFFICE BUILDING

Newton Cemetery Corporation Now Occupies Attractive and Commodious Quarters

On January first the Newton Cemetery took possession of its new administration building, a cut of which is shown on this page. The date is an interesting one to the Corporation for exactly fifty years previous its first office



was opened in the residence of the superintendent.

The new building is conveniently located at the Cemetery gate and is most attractive in its appearance. It is built of Weymouth seam face granite with limestone trimmings and Milford granite steps, leading to a handsome oaken door. The roof is of red tile, making a pleasing contrast to the color of the building.

The vestibule has a floor of pink Tennessee marble with verde antique border. Two beautiful rooms open at the left, one for a reception room for the public and the other for the use of the trustees. Both these rooms are finished in quartered white oak, with handsome wainscottings over seven feet in height arranged in panels. The wood in these panels was especially

selected and shows some remarkable graining. The walls above the wainscoting are green and the oaken furniture has green upholstery to match. Large and beautiful rugs are on the floors and the lighting is on

the indirect plan with attractive onyx fixtures. At the right of the vestibule is the Clerk's office, with a large and fireproof vault, and the Superintendent has convenient quarters in the rear. Toilet rooms are found behind the vault. The basement is well lighted and airy, with a cement floor and a large storage vault underneath the office vault.

There is also ample storage room in the upper part of the building which is left unfinished.

A private telephone system enables the office to keep in touch with every other building on the cemetery grounds.

Kendall, Taylor & Co. were the architects and the cost is estimated at about \$16,000.

LUCY JACKSON CHAPTER, D. A. R.

The January meeting of the Lucy Jackson Chapter, D. A. R., of Newton was held on the afternoon of the 11th, at the Brace-Burn Club.

The Regent, Mrs. Frederick J. Fessenden, presided, and there was a large attendance.

After a short business session Miss West of Newtonville played a group of piano solos most acceptably.

Mrs. Fessenden then introduced the speaker, Mrs. W. H. Dunning of Brookline, who gave a most delightful "Travel Talk on China."

She was dressed in the ordinary costume of the country during the first half of her talk, later appearing in a beautiful silk wedding costume exquisitely embroidered.

In a charming manner she seemed to carry her audience with her as she journeyed up the rivers, describing the life on land and water, marriage customs, status of women, interesting anecdotes and showing some beautiful specimens of handiwork.

The singing of America and the social hour followed, when the hostesses, Mrs. Arthur C. Dunmore, Mrs. Edwin D. Dodge, Mrs. George R. Eager, and Miss Mabel T. Eager served delicious refreshments.

Notice was given that the Chapter would entertain at Headquarters, Laughton Studios, Pierce Building, on the 18th of January. Mrs. Frederick B. Bancroft in charge.

INSTALL OFFICERS

General Hull Lodge, No. 123, Ancient Order of United Workmen of Massachusetts, is alive to the opportunities for the protection of many more homes in this community during the new year. The first move in this direction was the installation of a new board of officers by its new District Deputy, Brother Andrew T. Carlin of Brighton, on Friday evening, January 8th, at its Lodge Room in Dennison Hall, Newtonville, the Master Workman being Brother Laurence A. Sprague of West Newton. Seven applications were received for membership, a good start for the new year, and assurance was given that more are coming. Initiations, bowling, card parties, entertainments, collations, etc., are all included in this year's program and with two such live-wires for leaders, as Brothers Carlin and Sprague, a bright and successful year is in prospect, with a largely increased and active membership.

"WHITE SLAVES"

Strong Language Used By Miss Rose Livingston At West Newton Meeting

An intensely interesting and largely attended meeting was held Tuesday afternoon in the Congregational Church at West Newton, when the horrible conditions in our large cities, caused by the White Slave traffic, were graphically depicted.

Rev. J. Edgar Park, in his introductory remarks said, that the great work of life has been framed by men; thoughts, industries and National work, and in this year of 1915 there are a number of blind spots. The more timely cure for the trouble is to enlist the women into the framework of our life. The women know of the suffering and trials of women, and he believes that the cure for the ills of the world is, to cure by enlisting the help of the women, and it was the intention of the speakers to point out the blind spots in the masculine nature—the vices which are characteristic of our large cities.

Mr. Park then introduced Mrs. Myron B. Vorce of Cleveland, Ohio, a forceful speaker on social problems affecting women, and Miss Rose Livingston, a New York social worker, who is known as "the Angel of Chinatown."

Mrs. Vorce said that it was not her purpose to take much of the time, but she had a message which she hoped would go directly to the hearts of all women. It is man's world, but the great work cannot be accomplished without women.

This is the Age of Woman, but there is no sex war, or antagonism of the sexes. The watchword of the Suffragist is Co-operation. Women want to do their work efficiently. Mrs. Vorce wishes that women might appeal to the Legislature for some law to protect home and children, for all of the children in the state should be taken care of, but back of woman's demands for justice, she cannot say "I represent so many thousands of voting mothers."

In a reformatory for women in the state of Ohio, 700 are crowded into a space intended for 350. Three are often obliged to sleep in one bed. The children mingle with all sorts of criminals. When they get out, there is little hope for them but the street.

On the other hand, the very finest possible reformatory is provided for the men. Now men may go to the Legislature for help, but women cannot go, unless they get some body of men interested enough to take up their work for them—unless they have an indirect influence.

The Anti-suffragists say, that the Suffragists are discontented women. So they are, but it is a righteous discontent and it is a good thing to have. They also say, "Do not thrust more burdens on Women," and it is usually said by those who have no burdens.

Woman's work is not only the bearing of the race, but also the conserving of the race after it gets here. Those same women who talk against suffrage, will be the first to go to the polls to vote for decent laws, when we get the ballot, for votes for women is the only thing that will help the cause.

They say that politics for women are rotten and corrupt; they are equally rotten and corrupt for men. Politics is the science of Government. Almost every social worker, and almost all great educators, ask the ballot for women.

Women should inform themselves on whether or no, the women of Massachusetts should have the ballot, if you hold ancient prejudices, read about it, and inquire about it. Colorado.

CHRISTIAN FORUM

Interesting Address at the January Meeting on Sunday Night

The January meeting of the Christian Forum was held in Eliot Church last Sunday evening. The address was made by Dr. Graham Taylor of the Chicago Commons, whose subject was "Humanized Religion Emphasized by War." He spoke somewhat as follows: "In the cabin of the liner Philadelphia in the last days of July there were a dozen American delegates to the International Peace Conference, who met every morning at 10 o'clock to discuss matters which would be taken up at the conference in the City of Constantine, Germany."

There gathered also with us a number of the passengers and we had an open Forum upon the question of International Peace. We were discussing the possible basis for such a peace and the functions of the Christian Church regarding this matter, when a wireless message reached the ship that Austria Hungary had declared war against Serbia. It seemed to bother very few, and we went on gathering and discussed the possibilities of a world war and it seemed to be the opinion that war was impossible because of the commercialism of the world, and because the money kings of the world would keep it in hand and check it. Various reasons were given to show why such a war was impossible, some said the people on the great national boundaries would not stand for it, that the great international unions would declare sympathetic strikes and thought the miners' union would absolutely refuse to mine coal and that in itself would stop most military operations and there was a sort of a hope that internationalism made war impossible.

Others said, this is the 20th century and war is impossible because the humanitarian instinct has gone abroad. And Bishop Hammond of the Methodist Church declared that the religious spirit was too strong. When we arrived on the other side, the harbors were in such condition that entrance

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FREE TRIPS TO WASHINGTON

Spend Easter Week at the National Capital as Guests of the Graphic

This paper announces today the organization of the NEWTON GRAPHIC Travel Club to be composed of young women of this vicinity to be chosen by readers of this paper.

The first week of April the young women composing the club will leave for a trip to New York, Philadelphia, Washington and many other points of interest, with all expenses paid by this paper.

The trip is one of the most pleasant the country affords and is educational in the highest degree. Every American wants to visit Washington, and there are few who, having once visited the nation's capital, would not gladly go again. The wonders of Washington are almost inexhaustible. Residents of many years have not seen them all, so this paper has selected this trip for the tour of the Travel Club.

Visiting New York City, Philadelphia, with several days of sight-seeing in Washington, D. C., with the tributary trips that emanate from this point, the party will travel in the very best of style with the best of service and at the most desirable season of the year. The entire expense of the trip from the start to the return will be borne by this paper.

You are invited to become a member. There are no good reasons why you should not become a member. The plan is simple and you can do it. The organization of the Travel Club will be accomplished by the contest plan.

A blank ballot will appear in each issue of this paper beginning today and continuing until the contest is closed. Each ballot, when filled in with the name of a regularly nominated candidate, will count the number of votes printed thereon. But, first of all, the nomination of the candidates must be effected, so on another page you will find a nomination blank which is self explanatory. Fill in the

name of your favorite and send to the NEWTON GRAPHIC office at once, as the first list of nominees will be announced next Friday. An early start is a battle half won.

There is no restriction on the number of ballots that may be voted by any one person for a candidate. Votes will also be issued on paid subscriptions in proportion to the length of time subscriptions are paid. The number of votes issued on each payment with the brief rules and plan governing the conduct of the contest will be found in the space announcement.

Any woman of good character over sixteen years of age married or single is eligible to enter the contest. Every candidate must be endorsed by one reputable citizen, who will vouch for her good character. Candidates may enter their own application and may nominate others of their friends should they so desire. The residence of the candidate determines her district.

It costs nothing, the trips are surely worth the effort. If you once convince your friends of your earnestness you will be surprised to find how loyally they will support you.

The Travel Club plan provides an excellent opportunity for any woman who wants to see Washington to procure free the trip, with all the added features, provided by the management that are not given in the usual itinerary. The attractions at all the points chosen for visitation need no elaboration. They are the greatest in the United States from the standpoint of the facilities they afford for combined recreation and education.

And why may not you be one of the party that will take this tour? The opportunity, which is one of a lifetime, is yours for the mere reaching out for and embracing this big offer. All you have to do is to get started.

During the progress of the contest the office will be open on Thursday evening of each week for the accommodation of candidates who may find it impossible to call during the day.

In the event of any needed information just phone Newton North 18, and ask for the "Contest Man."

There are five districts, and one candidate will be chosen from each district. But, it is the getting started that counts in an event of this sort and friends of prospective candidates should send in the names of the favored ones without delay.

The duration of the competition is very short and the trip will be a reality in a very few weeks. It costs nothing to nominate a candidate and places the nominator under no obligation. The office will not divulge the names of those making nominations.

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EDITORIAL

Our recent editorial on the mayor's
address has given rise to the feeling
that the GRAPHIC is antagonistic to
the administration of Mayor Childs.
The editor of the GRAPHIC has the
highest personal regard for Mayor
Childs and, with the exception of the
Neagle case, has refrained from criti-
cizing his administration during the
past year, and shall continue that pol-
icy in the year to come. It will be
noted that the criticism contained in
our last issue was mostly directed at
what the Mayor said and not on what
he had done. The GRAPHIC will sup-
port Mayor Childs in every effort he
shall make for efficiency, economy and
decency in our city affairs, and shall
rejoice in the complete success of his
administration.

DINNER DANCE AT WOODLAND PARK

Within a comparatively few years
the Woodland Park hotel at Auburndale
has sprung into wonderful popular-
ity. It is now the popular resort
for the best classes, the numbers of
whom are yearly increasing, people
who seek a locality where they may
spend any length of time, amid the
most romantic scenery, enjoy the most
healthful sport, and at the same time
secure any degree of comfort.

It is one of the finest hotels to be
found anywhere no expense being
spared that can tend to the comfort or
convenience of visitors, and the result
is, not an unworthy type of the ideal
hotel.

The first in a series of dinner-dances
which are being made a special fea-
ture at the hotel, was given last even-
ing and was a great success. Dinner
was served from 6 until 8. The cus-
tine at Woodland Park has become
celebrated and great care is taken
by the management at all times to
have the table first class in every re-
spect. After the dinner there was
dancing from 9 until 11 o'clock
in the spacious dining-room. The
order included many of the popu-
lar modern dances, the Fox-trot, Can-
ter, Hesitation, Maxixe and One-step.
A delightful program was furnished
by the Hotel Orchestra, and there was
a large attendance of guests promi-
nent in the social circles of Brookline,
Boston and the Newtons.

BRAE-BURN CLUB

If the weather conditions are favor-
able the second in the series of "Skat-
ing Carnivals," which are the popular
attraction of the winter season at
Brae-Burn, will be held this evening.
The Cambridge City Band will be in
attendance, and Russell's Orchestra
will play for the dancing which will
follow from 9.30 until 12 in the Club
House. Dinner will be served from
6 until 8, and supper from 10 until 11
o'clock. The Orchestra will also play
during the dinner.

Mr. William B. Merrill of Newton
Centre entertained a company of
guests numbering more than fifty at
a dancing party on Monday evening.
Russell's Orchestra furnished the music.

ORGAN RECITAL

Dalhousie Lodge of Masons enter-
tained its members and friends last
night with an organ recital and dance
at the Masonic Building, Newtonville.
About 400 were present and enjoyed
an excellent program rendered by Mr.
Marshall S. Bidwell, organist, as-
sisted by Marcia West Lewis, con-
tralto and Ruby L. Randall, violinist.

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Boston Transcript
Saturday, January 16, 1915

N. H. S.

The Debating Club met on Monday,
and had an open debate on "Resolved,
—that a student council would be ben-
eficial in the High school." First Pierce
told what a "Student Council" is; a
body composed half of teachers and
half of students elected by their class-
mates and representing the four classes.
The purpose is to meet and discuss
subjects of school life. A "Students
Council" tends to promote school spirit,
and friendly relations between scholar
and teacher. The affirmative side pre-
sented the stronger arguments.

Miss Shepherdson coaches the Newton
Basket Ball team. This team is picked
from Junior and Senior girls. Miss
Hilda Jones is captain.

The date of the debate with Cam-
bridge has been changed to February
5. The Newton team has the affirma-
tive side of the question "Resolved,
—That the government should take over
the Railroads."

All the Senior English pupils met af-
ter school on Tuesday to discuss col-
lege entrance exams. in English. If a
student can pass his exam, during the
year he can drop English.

Miss McGill criticised the speaking
at the Portia Club, and gave some
"pointers" about the coming trials for
the Girl's Debating teams.

Wineola Wetherill has been elected
manager of the Fencing team. Louis
Ranlett still holds card number 1 in
the members' competitive meet.

Next Thursday a "Dance" is to be
held in the Gym. Russell's orchestra
will furnish the music. Candy will be
on sale.

The first meeting of those interested
in forming a "Chess and Checkers Club"
was held after school on Tuesday.

In a postponed game at Brae-Burn
Monday afternoon, the Newton High
School hockey team defeated Boston
English High, 4 to 1. The home team
scored two of its points in the open-
ing period on clever shots by Stickney
and Brown.

Members of the Newton High School
track team were given their first com-
petition of the season Friday in the
school gymnasium under the direction
of Coach Dickinson, when Rogers,
Roberts, Litchfield and Nathan proved
that they are a valuable asset to the
team.

Litchfield took first place in the 30-
yard dash and 300-yard run. Roberts
took first place in the high jump,
hurdles and shot-put.

The games offered Coach Dickin-
son an excellent opportunity to get a
line on the boys, with a view to se-
lecting a team to represent Newton
High in the dual meets. Next Friday
time trials will be held for the relay
team.

Thirty-yard dash—Won by Litch-
field; second, between Wheeler and
Hayes; fourth W. Mitchell.

Three hundred-yard run—Won by
Litchfield; second, Woodward.

Six hundred-yard run—Won by Na-
than; second, Wheeler; third McNa-
mara.

Thousand-yard run—Won by Rogers;
second, Roberts; third, Harle.

Thirty-yard hurdle race—Won by
Roberts; second, between W. Mit-
chell and Kelley.

High jump—Won by Roberts; sec-
ond, H. Mitchell; third, Woodward.

Shot-put—Won by Roberts; second,
H. Mitchell.

WNIS HOCKEY GAME

By displaying fine team play, com-
bined with splendid offensive as well
as defensive tactics, the Newton
High School hockey team won, 5 to 1,
from Somerville High in an Inter-
scholastic Hockey League game at the
Arena Tuesday afternoon. It was the
best game in the league series, and the
Newton seven, if it continues to play
the same style of a game, is likely to
give Melrose, the probable champion,
considerable trouble.

Newton High made three of its five
points on rebounds, which shows that
its forwards closely followed up most
of its attempts for goals. Newton's
hockey was 75 per cent better than the
brand it displayed in its opening game
with Arlington High last week, which
it lost, 2 to 3, in overtime.

Through the game Newton High
covered Capt. Frank Downing, the
clever Somerville High rover, very
closely and only once did he break
away and tally. An injury caused by
a flying puck in the opening period
caused Downing to slow up a bit, but
he pluckily continued playing. In the
last period he made several dashes
down the rink, only to be robbed of
scoring chances by the Newton outer
and inner defences.

Somerville High showed hardly any
team play, and its forwards seldom
followed up their shots. Had Somer-
ville possessed another forward who
was anywhere near as fast as Downing,
the Red and Blue would have scored
several more points on Newton, for
both Carley and Fiske, Newton defen-
sive players, played far from their goal,
leaving plenty of chances to tally.

Capt. William Wellman, Elliott
Stickney and Burkhardt proved the
three headliners in the Newton lineup.
Wellman tallied three of Newton's
points.

Eight minutes after play began Car-
ley shot the rubber almost half the
length of the rink into the cage. New-
ton scored its second point after nine
minutes of the second period had
elapsed. Wellman registering it. Well-
man dribbled the disc from mid-rink
and made a clever pass to Burkhardt,
who scored the third point in 13 min-
utes. Two minutes later Downing,
starting from behind his own goal,
dribbled the puck the length of the
rink, evaded the entire Newton team
and tallied the only point for Somer-
ville.

It was three minutes later that Burk-
hardt carried the rubber from the cen-
ter of the rink and made a clever pass
in front of the goal. Wellman scoring.
The final goal for Newton was made
after 19 minutes and 30 seconds.

POLICE NOTES

A patrolman has been stationed in
Nonantum square, Newton. All night.
In the past Patrolman Frank Dow has
been located in the square the first
half and during the last half officers
on the surrounding beats have each
spent an hour in the square. Patrol-
man C. B. Carrigan will hereafter al-
ternate with patrolman Dow on that
route, and patrolman Edward O'Neill
will cover route 16, formerly covered
by Carrigan, and patrolman Henry
Bates will cover O'Neill's route in the
Waban Section.

Newton Centre

—Mr. Carl L. Watson of Grant ave-
nue is ill at his home with pneumonia.

—Mr. C. Walker Pike of Lowell, is
visiting his mother on Braeland ave-
nue.

—Mr. Austin Dudley of Dedham
street has gone to New York for a few
days.

—Mr. Robert I. Burnham is ill at his
home on Centre street with pneu-
monia.

—The annual parish meeting of the
Unitarian Society will be held this
evening.

—Mr. George L. Barney of Walnut
street is spending a few days in Phil-
adelphia.

—Dr. L. B. Ford of California is vis-
iting his sister on Lake avenue for a
few days.

—Miss Clara Butler of Brooklyn, N.
Y., is visiting friends on Paul street
this week.

—Miss Emma I. Thompson of Hobart
road has gone to Nashua, N. H., for
a few days.

—Mr. Kenneth Fraser is seriously
ill at his home on Trowbridge street
with the grippe.

—Miss Kathryn McAskill of Centre
street is ill at the Newton Hospital
with scarlet fever.

—Mr. J. Colby Wilson of Chicago,
Ill., is spending the week end with his
brother on Montvale road.

—Mr. John C. Browning of Plym-
outh, is the guest of Mr. Ralph E.
Wentworth of Ward street.

—Mrs. Eugene L. Titcomb of Com-
monwealth avenue has gone to Provi-
dence for a few weeks' visit.

—During the storm on Wednesday
morning, a pole on Glenwood avenue
was broken off at the ground.

—Mrs. Alfred C. Taylor of Common-
wealth avenue has gone to Gardner,
Maine, for the rest of the month.

—Mr. C. Percy Wrentham of Buffalo,
N. Y., has gone to Bellows Falls, Ver-
mont, for a two weeks' vacation.

—Mr. Charles E. Johnson of Walnut
street is spending a few days in Low-
ell, where he is on a business trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Plimpton
of Oxford road are receiving congrat-
ulations on the recent birth of a son.

—Mr. Frank Frith, who has been on
a business trip through the West, has
returned to his home on Centre street.

—Mr. Edward P. Bosson of Newton
Highlands has plans ready for a hand-
some new residence on The Ledges
road.

—Miss Margaret Sutherland, who has
been visiting friends in this vil-
lage has returned to her home in
Haverhill.

—Mr. J. C. Paul and Mr. A. L. Har-
wood, Jr., are incorporators in the re-
cently organized, Newton Forge and
Carriage Company.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Saltonstall
will give a dance at the Hotel Somer-
set next Friday night for their daugh-
ter, Miss Muriel Saltonstall.

—While Mrs. Mary Doble was walk-
ing along Langley road last Tuesday,
she slipped to the sidewalk and sus-
tained several minor bruises. At pres-
ent she is resting comfortably at her
home on Trowbridge street.

—In the Mass. Squash Tennis
League last Saturday, the Tennis &
Racquet club defeated the local play-
ers three to one, Mr. R. C. Bray being
the only man on the home team win-
ning his match. The same afternoon,
Chestnut Hill was beaten three to one
by the Union Boat Club, Mr. Frank
Hallowell being the sole winner for
Chestnut Hill.

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readers is called to the announcement
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mation of a Newton Graphic Travel
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National capital at the most attractive
season of the year and is well worth
a personal investigation.

The thirty-fourth recital under the
auspices of the New England Chapter
of the American Guild of Organists
was given at the First Baptist Church,
on Monday evening when a large audi-
ence enjoyed the splendid program.
The artists were Mr. John Hermann
Loud, organist of the First Church;
Mr. Harris S. Shaw, organist of the
Second Universalist Church, Boston;
and Mr. Ernest Mitchell, organist of
Trinity Church, Boston.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Congratulations are being extended
to Mr. R. S. Webster, Assistant Sec-
retary of the Newton Young Men's
Christian Association. During the
holiday season Mr. Webster slipped
away for a few days and was married
to Miss Georgia Cox of Newfield, New
York.

Rev. Harrie R. Chamberlin will
be the speaker at the Fellowship Club
on Monday evening, Jan. 18th.

Do not fail to see the basket ball
game between Newton and Brockton
on Jan. 20th. It will be a good one.

Through the generosity of some
members of our Business Men's Class
the hand ball room has been greatly
improved. Hand ball is one of the
oldest and best of indoor games and
if you haven't played the game, you
are missing exercise that is enjoyable
and very beneficial.

Boys' Division

Next Saturday will be "Stunt Night"
for the Bible Clubs. Each Club is
expected to put on a stunt and as there
are seven clubs quite an entertain-
ment is assured. Each boy enrolled
in a club has been given five tickets
to distribute to his family.

The first game meet of the Greater
Boston League will be held Friday,
the 15th, Cambridge playing Newton at
Newton. The teams for Newton have
been selected and they are hopeful of
success.

At the K. S. G. Club last week Dr.
George S. Butters spoke on "True
Blue." About the usual number were
present. These meetings are growing
popular and would be more so if they
were more widely advertised. They
are held every Tuesday at 4.15 at the
Y. M. C. A. and are open to any boy
between the ages of 11 and 13.

At the meeting of the Boys' Cabinet
last Friday night the plans for secur-
ing new furniture for the reading room
were approved and several other im-
portant matters were discussed.

West Newton

—The annual meeting of the Day
Nursery will be held next Tuesday at
10 A. M.

—The Game Club meet with Miss
Emma Newhall of Hillside avenue on
Tuesday evening.

—Mrs. H. P. Talbot of Otis street is
entertaining Miss Nash, a former resi-
dent of this place.

—Mr. and Mrs. Andreas Hartell of
Otis street gave a small dancing party
on Tuesday evening.

—Senator John W. Weeks has been
elected a vice-president of the Ameri-
can Forestry Association.

—Mrs. Fred S. Felton of Chestnut
street gave a luncheon followed by
bridge on Wednesday afternoon.

—The sixth in a series of Neighbor-
hood assemblies was held at the Neigh-
borhood Club on Wednesday evening.

—Mr. Charles S. Weeks of Valen-
tine street has returned from a visit
at Pinehurst, N. C., and Washington,
D. C.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Young of
Temple street entertained at dinner
followed by bridge on Tuesday eve-
ning.

—At the annual election of the In-
ternational Trust Co., Monday, Mr.
Henry L. Jewett was elected a di-
rector.

—Mr. C. F. Howland of Chestnut
street has returned from a visit with
his daughter, Mrs. Adolf Amend at
Highwood, N. J.

—The annual meeting of the Lin-
coln Park Baptist Church will be held
next Wednesday night with a supper
at seven o'clock.

—Hon. George G. Ellis has elected
vice-president of the Unitarian Club
of Boston at the annual meeting held
Wednesday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Crimmins
of Dartmouth street entertained
friends at dinner followed by dancing
on Tuesday evening.

—The C. E. Society of the Auburndale
Congregational Church were
guests last Sunday night at the Lin-
coln Park Baptist Church.

—Miss Hyde of Cambridge and Miss
Tolman of West Newton entertained
at the Score Club this afternoon at
Miss Tolman's residence on
Hunter street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Rogers Thomas (nee
Baldwin) who have been visiting Mrs.
A. C. Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. F. F.
Baldwin have returned to their home
at Richmond, Va.

—Mr. David Douglas of Perkins
street, called from New York on Wed-
nesday for London where he is to
enter the American Red Cross in the
Ambulance Department.

—The W. C. T. U. will meet Monday
evening Jan. 18 at 7.45 o'clock with
Mrs. Adelia Earnest, 439 Washington
street, Newton. Subject, "Woman's
Vote" by Mrs. Clara E. Briggs, state
superintendent of Franchise.

—Mr. Robert Boyden, who has been
passing the holidays with his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Wallace C. Boyden of
Hillside avenue, has resumed his
teaching at the Moses Brown School,
Providence.

—The Unitarian Society will hold
an interesting anniversary meeting on
January 28 when it will celebrate the
thirtieth anniversary of the first ser-
mon preached by Rev. Julian C.
Jaynes as their pastor.

—Two large subscription bridge
parties will be given at the homes of
Mrs. Sumner Robinson and Mrs. T. A.
Crimmins on Tuesday afternoon, Jan-
uary 26, for the benefit of the Newton
Equal Suffrage League.

—The winter meeting of the
South Middlesex Federation of the Y.
P. R. U. will be held in the Unitarian
parish house next Friday evening.
Supper will be served at six o'clock
and will be followed by an entertain-
ment on the stage and dancing.

—Mrs. Myron B. Vorce of Cleveland,
Ohio, a forceful speaker on social
problems as affecting women, will
speak at the meeting of the Newton
Equal Franchise Association this after-
noon at the residence of Mrs. William
Lloyd Garrison, Jr., on Temple street.

—The cast of the Newton Amateur
Opera Association, which gave the re-
cent performance of Florodora will
have a social and dance this evening
at the Players Hall.

—The program in-
cludes singing by Mrs. J. B. Ross, Miss
Ruth Allen who will dance and a mono-
logue by Mr. F. W. Sprague, 2nd.

—Mr. Frederic L. Day of Chestnut
street was married last Saturday af-
ternoon to Miss Katherine L. Munroe,
the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James P.
Munroe of Brimmer street, Boston.

—The excellent performance by Rev.
Charles T. Billings of the First Unitar-
ian Church, Mr. and Mrs. Day will
make their home at 9 Boylston road,
Fenway, where they will be at home
after Feb. 15.

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THE CHRISTIAN FORUM

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was possible only through a narrow channel and there were soldiers guarding the land. On our arrival in Paris it seemed to be the old Paris for a day or two, with the exception that there appeared to be more people on the streets and groups here and there in earnest conversation. And there were other groups marching up and down the streets singing the Marseillaise.

"One day there were great placards put up over the streets calling attention to the military camp of Paris, not the City of Paris giving notice that all foreigners were to report to their consuls, and as if by magic the train service was paralyzed, hotels went out of business, private property seized and personal rights seemed to be overriden. Automobiles were taken off the streets and filled with soldiers. Private automobiles were commandeered on the boulevards and soldiers took the places of the owners at the wheel. Every motorcycle had a troop of men. Then disappeared the sanctity of human life. Never will man forget what happened those first days.

"I remember how a young man, well educated and who could speak English fluently, rushed up to us and cried, 'War is inevitable, inevitable I say. I have my summons to join my regiment and I leave tomorrow. My wife and child I shall never see again.' And he rushed out of our sight, still crying that the war was inevitable. Then there came down the streets long files of men. The first were in uniform. They marched silently down with no tap of a drum, life or martial music. The cavalry passed toward the railroad station into which thousands of people, many holding babies, were trying to get out to the suburbs or anywhere away from Paris. Austrians and Germans were being conducted to the south of France. The cavalry regiment moved along and in the last file was a trooper with his wife trailing along at his side, trying to hold his hand and then when the station was reached they parted broken-hearted, and he passed from our sight, still waving a fond good-bye to his wife and little child. It was most heart-rending.

"Then commerce collapsed, and long lines of reserves began to fill the streets and it was all like a terrible funeral march. Great demonstrations were held on the boulevards of Paris protesting against the war. When men say that all the nations are clamoring for war they don't know what they are talking about. I have posters nearly as large as the church organ, in great large print issued by the Social democrats of Paris, saying, 'Down with the War, don't let the war lords make cannon meat of you.' And there were similar protests and great demonstrations in English and German cities, protesting in the name of humanity. In all the countries mounted police would ride down these gatherings and scatter the people into the side streets. Of course, after the declaration of war it was as much as your life was worth to say or do anything in opposition.

And when Germany had declared war there was a monster meeting in Trafalgar square in London, beneath the Nelson monument at which representatives of all the countries gathered and sang the Marseillaise, the Russian Hymn, the 'Wacht on der Rhine' and God Save the King; and these men made the last brief stand for humanity and for religion.

The first blood shed was that of the leader of the Social Democrats in France who had been attending a convention in Brussels of the members of his party and who had announced himself in favor of a sympathetic strike in opposition to the war. He was sitting in a restaurant in Paris when an arm was pushed through the curtain and in a second the brains of the most eloquent member of this party were blown out. When arrested the young man who committed the act said that he had killed the man because he was an enemy of peace and against the war. Was there any other martyr to Peace.

In Great Britain the Welsh miners attempted to throw off the war by stating that they would not mine coal

for anything but defensive warfare, but notwithstanding this the collapse came, and labor internationalism was overwhelmed by the terrific onset of the men who had the power and the force.

And where was Christianity all these times; where were the forces of organized religion, the Russian Church, the Protestant and the Roman Catholic Churches, the Y. M. C. A.? As far as I know the only effort, the only voice of organized religion was uttered by the people who arrived at Constantinople. They passed a protest against the war and were told to leave immediately. But was there anything that did not collapse?

Then came the casualties on the battlefields, the levelled villages, the homes in ashes, the bombarded cathedrals and the unprotected virginity; everything that man holds human, religious and civilized. I tell you the awful thing about this war is the collapse of human hopes, the terrible destruction of human ideals; the awful undermining of religious faith. Organized Christianity did not deter this war one second, it had no influence whatever.

Labor will get together again on the basis of internationalism, and commerce will grasp hands across the seas when this is over. With this most awful calamity that has ever overtaken civilization we will have an opportunity to build from the ground up and plant Christianity all over again. We have got to have the next generation better than ours.

One of the prominent German commanders has declared that religion is in no way concerned in this war, religion being a question of individuality and concerns only the interests of a man and his immediate community. Think of that. But we are succeeding where Europe is failing and I trust that God will keep us out of this struggle.

Human life demands the identification of personal religion with public interests. I am told that in New York City alone there are nearly 500,000 university graduates who have no interests in the working of the government or the City. Who supports our Universities and our Colleges? It is either by appropriations from the State, from the finances of the people or the expenses are met by the interest from endowments, etc. But it makes no difference whether it is received from private or public sources, from the people it originally comes and back to the people it should go. The individual who takes everything out and pays as little back as possible is dishonest. It is an expression of loyalty to identify your personal, individual interests with the interest of the public. There is entirely too much separation in this country of the Church and the community. This was more apparent up to the end of the 19th century. Previous to that time we talked about dirty politics and seemed to think it was a part of refinement not to have anything to do with one who was interested in politics. It was only now and then a man of status in the community would take part in the workings of the government. Back to the Puritan ideas we have got to go and I am glad to say we are heading that way. The church should make itself felt in the community and the community should have some regard for the church. The church has lost its power in various ways. Formerly the church was the great teacher of our country, and now it is the state that supports and controls the schools. The State is our greatest alms-giver many times greater than the churches and voluntary associations put together.

We need more civic patriotism on the part of our citizens. If a man has done remarkable in the running of a railroad, why not place him in charge of the operation of some of our large government plants, if a successful attorney why should he not be placed in charge of the Law Department of our nation.

I believe a new era is at hand, an era of opportunity to build religion on bedrock and build up a system such as we have only had in our dreams. I believe 'the kingdom of heaven is at hand, prepare ye the way of the Lord.'

Questions

What are your ideas for preventing the sweeping of our country into this war?

I think if we stay quiet and do not do anything to permit questions of conflict arising that we will be safe. I believe that one of the things our government should do right away, is to prevent the shipping of implements of warfare and ammunition from this country. I believe that if this was done immediately that we will not be drawn into the conflict unless some unforeseen shipping trouble arises.

Do you think of any other power that can put a stop to the war now except exhaustion?

I think it is doubtful if it can now be stopped except by exhaustion, and if it was by any other means it would be likely to begin again within a few years. If the neutral nations could get together now and devise some plan or program to be followed out when the conflict finally ceases it would aid the situation greatly. Such a program is being considered by meetings of the various commercial bodies, political parties and others in Chicago, and a very interesting one has been devised.

What should be the attitude regarding the armament of nations when peace is finally declared?

In the program considered in Chicago, we have provided for gradual disarmament of all nations, but not the total disarmament. A country must have some protection, for its shipping at least.

Do you believe there would be any humanizing influence if women were given the right to vote?

I am a rather recent convert to woman suffrage. Speaking from the situation in Illinois, the politicians do not know where they stand. It is true that woman suffrage there has had a remarkable better than ours. The Vice Commission was pigeon-holed for four years, but the minute that women were given the right to vote the report was taken up and the red-light district of Chicago, the worst in the world disappeared in a night. I do not believe that we men can handle all the situations of government without the aid of women.

Do you think that the alien is allowed to secure citizenship too easily?

Not since the time between the securing of the first and second papers has been increased to five years. I am fairly opposed to the literacy test, which to me is a farce. We must not forget that we will find these foreigners at the backbone of all important undertakings. We should not keep out these hard working peoples who scrape and save for years with the one thought in mind of coming here and getting an opportunity to educate themselves and their families, and becoming American citizens.

HUNNEWELL CLUB

Much enthusiasm is being manifested by the members of the Hunnewell Club of Newton, in the coming musical which is to be given the 22nd of the present month, in Stanley Hall, at the club house.

An unusual program has been arranged through the efforts of the entertainment committee by which the club is to be favored with an extremely interesting and attractive program. They have fortunately secured the services of artists of superlative ability and Newton will be, indeed, honored in the extreme, by the presence of such celebrated performers of the musical art.

Each of the artists was, within a few months, giving individual concerts throughout Europe and the Continent, but they have returned to their native country because of the present great war.

Mr. Guy Maier, the noted piano virtuoso, whose first American concert recently given at Jordan Hall, elicited the unanimous praise of the musical critics of Boston, will play selections by Ruckmaninoff, Brahms, Weber, Liszt, Mendelssohn-Liszt and Philipp. Miss Katherine Kemp-Stillings, the celebrated violin virtuosa, favorite pupil of Leopold Auer, Petrograd, Russia, the world's greatest instructor on the violin, will render selections by Tschalkowsky, Wienawski, Paurillin and Kemp-Stillings.

Mme. Clara Huntington, the Prima Donna soprano, who has been singing in the leading Opera Houses of Europe for the past six years and who was to have been one of the artists at the Boston Opera this season, will be heard for the first time in New England at this concert.

Mme. Huntington will sing several famous arias, and songs by Strauss, Ward-Stephens and Schubert. With such an array of artists, the Hunnewell Club is substantially adding to its already established precedence of setting the highest musical standing in Newton.

SARAH HULL CHAPTER, D. R.

Thru a typographical error in our last issue, the name of Dr. John B. May of Waban was given as Dr. B. May. "Birds" was omitted. Dr. May's talk and reproduction of bird calls and songs was a most enjoyable feature of the last meeting of the Chapter.

COLONIAL THEATRE—On Monday evening, Jan. 18, Hazel Dawn will make her first appearance in Boston as a star in her own right in "The Debutante," a new opera for which Harry B. Smith has written the book. Robert B. Smith provided the lyrics and Victor Herbert composed the music. Ever since the success of the new star in "The Pink Lady" a few seasons ago, it has been forecasted that Hazel Dawn would make a bid for stellar honors, and this prophecy is now being fulfilled apparently in a very happy manner. In "The Debutante," which is divided into two acts, Miss Dawn appears in the role of Elaine, a pleasant, ingenious American girl, who is making her first appearance in English society. She is betrothed to an American youth the son of her guardian, who has grown neglectful owing to an infatuation with a reigning footlight favorite, and Elaine, in order to revenge herself upon the rival and at the same time to arouse the jealousy of her fiancé, permits an impecunious French nobleman to make violent love. Of course in the end everything turns out happily and she wins back her sweet heart, as is usually the case in well-ordered musical comedy.

WHITE SLAVES

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do, where there is one third more men than women, has done perfectly wonderful work. It means Co-operation with men to make the ideal home, and will be the greatest educational factor of the day.

Take the White Slave Traffic and the Court decisions: are they not an injustice to women? Miss Rose Livingston, who has been engaged in social service work for nine years, rescuing more than 500 young girls from lives of infamy, and who has been beaten, shot, stabbed and many times left for dying, is getting discouraged in trying to battle against men who carry on the nefarious business of selling girls into lives of prostitution. There is work right at your very doors. We have worse conditions right in our own country, than those in the war zones of Europe.

Miss Livingston, who ventures into the worst dives in New York's Chinatown alone and at night, to carry on her work of rescue, then came forward to address the meeting. Miss Livingston is a remarkably fascinating character, and was most enthusiastic in the work to which she is devoting her life. She said when she started to address the audience, that she had never had a school education and she felt like sitting down instead of talking, but "like the Hindu, I'll do the best I kin do." She spoke of having once met Billy Sunday, and how a minister in New York had said of her, that it was a shocking thing to have this woman get up and tell these shocking things, and Billy Sunday said to her, "Go ahead and give it to them."

"Billy Sunday shocked me too," said Miss Livingston, "but after all he's doing the work for God and he says, 'Man, don't give it to them, as long as you are doing it in the name of God.'"

"New Englanders are boasting what a good place it is," says this social worker, "but Massachusetts is the most rotten place on the face of the map. I've been investigating Boston, and New York's Chinatown, and one girl right after another comes from New England. Woman's place is in the home," they say, but is she ever in the home? She spends most of her time at matinee and card parties, and never does anything to help the little lost sisters.

Miss Livingston emphasized the injustice of the courts, in the case of a little 14-year-old Brooklyn girl, who was led astray; the judge sent her to a reformatory, and the man in the case who ought to be behind prison bars, was let off with a light sentence. That same man was so vile that the lowest girls of the underworld would not associate with him. The testimony of a married man sent a young girl for three years to a reformatory and he, being an American citizen, and a voter, was allowed to go free. Girls who ought to be in the schoolroom, made the victims of these vicious men.

She cited an instance of a man in New York who had lived for two years on the proceeds of a sixteen-year-old girl, the girl passing the money over to that vile creature, until she became ill and was taken to Bellevue hospital. Miss Livingston tried to rescue her from the hospital, but the man took her and I must hunt up another. Another pitiful case was that of a young girl who had been the victim of a man for three years and Miss Livingston located her in a room where she was in a dying condition. When confronted by the man, he said, "Take her to H— out of here. I don't want her, no more. I must hunt up another."

Miss Livingston took her to the hospital, where she lived but a short time, and the little girl was crying before she died, crying for a heart-broken mother who was sitting in a rocking chair at the window of her lonely home, waiting for her child to return and it was Miss Livingston's sad task to go to the mother and tell her of her daughter's death.

"Missionaries have come home and told of dreadful things," said Miss Livingston, "but we are worse than the heathens. We have 15,000 girls lost and sold into prostitution."

"Men say, 'See the mess that women will make if they get into politics.' See the mess that men have made of politics. If politics are rotten and corrupt it is time we stepped in and cleaned it up," says this social worker. She feels like a soldier, who has gone to war; a soldier of God and she is willing to stand true to God.

"What we want is Co-Operation. All you hear about nowadays is the prostitute woman, but you never hear anything about the prostitute man. There are from 18 to 30 prostitute men for every one prostitute woman. Women who have been sent to prison say, 'Here we are for two or three years behind prison bars, and the men who are the cause of our downfall are allowed to go free.'"

Miss Livingston said that the White Slave Traffic which is the most damnable thing that is sweeping over our country, must go. Men say that if the women were allowed to vote, they would not know how to vote, and the social worker asks, "Who gave the men the right to vote?"

Miss Livingston was informed by a New York reporter, that she was injuring the White Slave Traffic so much, that \$500 was put on her head in Chinatown, and her life was in danger. "Let them put \$50,000 on my head, she said, 'and all he devils in hell would not drive me from the work of rescuing white slaves.' She spoke of women's great and good work in the churches. "Take woman out of the church, and what would become of the church?" she said.

"A wealthy woman in New York, who was always crowing that woman's place was in the home, spends all her time rolling about in an automobile, with her bull dogs seated along side of her. Those women are never in the home, and if the Anti-Suffragists and the women who are fighting against the vote, say a woman's place is in the home, let them stay in the home, and keep their mouths shut."

"There is a man in New York, who is a drunkard and a voter, and his wife, a hard-working woman, supports the home. On election day the man sells his vote, and gets drunk. Women, at least, when they get the

ballot, want sell their votes and get drunk.

"To the women that have husbands," (Thank God I haven't got one," said Miss Livingston, "tho' there are some good men.") I would like to say, that when women get the ballot the segregated districts, that necessary evil in our large cities, will be done away with. In Chicago 1500 women voters went in a body to Mayor Harrison and gave him 24 hours to clean out the Red Light districts, and Mayor Harrison got busy. Could it have been accomplished if the women had not been voters.

If women only had the ballot, those horrible conditions of depravity where thousands of girls are sacrificed, would not be allowed to exist, nor would there be the thousands of broken-hearted mothers that are in the world today. Let us for the sake of those little white slave girls who have given their lives and been buried out of the slums, and for the sake of others who have got to take their places, make a strong effort to have a voice in the laws of our nation."

Miss Livingston expects to spend several months investigating conditions in Massachusetts, and she says she will expose every man from the public platform, who she finds is doing wrong and helping along vice. She calls the Bible her love letters from God, and says that God is the greatest Captain we ever had and He never lost a battle.

In Dayton, Ohio, half the men who patronized the Red Light districts were married men, and Miss Livingston said she exposed them from the church pulpits. The nefarious work is carried on in many of the intelligence offices and they are selling girls for \$25 apiece. "Man fought against the black slave," said Miss Livingston, "but we never had a man who dared to go out and fight against the white slave." This remarkable social worker says she wants to suffer with the working classes, and will clean up conditions in Massachusetts if it takes 2 or 3 months.

Mrs. Vorce made a few interesting remarks at the close of the meeting, and said that Miss Livingston obtained a great deal of her information of the little girls that are sold, from older girls that have been leading the bad life. "The lives of these unfortunate victims rarely last more than 5 years," she said.

Mrs. Vorce said that a woman had come to her and said that her husband had told her that these things were not true. "If a husband says they are not true, practically he is lying, or is ignorant of the conditions," said the speaker.

Mrs. Vorce claims that a single standard of morality must be established. Laws must be enforced and women must be given power to enforce them.

After leading this life of shame, a girl becomes addicted to drug habits, and is unfitted for any other life.

She told of a child nine years old, of Cleveland, Ohio, who had been rescued by Miss Livingston. The little girl had been abducted from her home, and her father and mother were crazed with grief over her disappearance. Miss Livingston found her in Philadelphia, in such a diseased condition, that she cannot live long. Mrs. Vorce said that some critics have said that it is not modest to discuss these things, but she claims that innocence comes from knowledge, and the only way to save our young people, boys and girls, is to teach them morality. The girls in the underworld say, that if only their mothers had told them about these conditions they would never have gone astray.

This condition would not exist if the fathers and mothers had done their duty, and the parents are largely to blame.

"If you mothers have daughters and sons, get busy right away and tell them about these things. In the case of three young girls who were abducted from respectable families, recently, the men were fined only \$50 apiece and if it had been larceny or any other criminal offence, the fine would be up into the hundreds."

We have got to begin and make it a heinous crime when men assault children. The police in large cities are taking graft-money from those engaged in commercialized vice, and a complete system of White Slave Traffic is going on, where the procurers are as well protected as gamblers.

"A White Slave Trust is organized in every city and girls abducted in one city are sent over to another city."

MILK IS CHEAP

"Everyone agrees that milk, as compared with other food products, is one of the cheapest," said C. J. Steffen, President of the International Association of Dairy and Milk Inspectors in a recent address. "The butcher, the baker, the gardener may ask 20 per cent or 30 per cent more for what he has to sell and nothing is said, but let one cent be added to the cost of a quart of milk and it is immediately the subject of investigation by the authorities. The need of the dairy business, in order to promote the best interests of the consumer, is not more laws, but laws more in harmony with the desires of the consumer. Rest assured that as soon as the consumer stands ready to pay for the labor incidental to the production of a clean and pure milk supply the producer will meet the demand."

"Furnishing the people with milk, safe and wholesome, is after all not a question of law as we all know. Generally speaking, I believe that the quality of the milk supply has improved faster than the people have shown a desire to pay for improved quality. In this connection I am more than convinced that the solution of the clean milk problem is economic and not political, and the sooner law-making bodies recognize it as such, the sooner will the present tendency of the producer, to cease milking cows, be discontinued, if not altogether abandoned."

NEWTON BOARD OF TRADE

The annual meeting of the Newton Board of Trade will be held next Monday evening at the Board of Trade Hall in Newtonville. Mr. Allan White of Newton Centre will speak on "Business Conditions in Newton."

SHERIFF'S SALE
 Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Middlesex, ss.

December 17, 1914.
 Seized and taken on execution and will be sold at public auction at my office, No. 233 Church St. in Newton in said County on Saturday, January 30th, 1915 at 9 o'clock A. M. all the right, title and interest that Chandler Robbins had on September 30th, 1914 at 8 o'clock A. M. (that being the time when the same was attached on mesne process) in and to the following described parcel of real estate to wit:

A certain parcel of land situated in Framingham in said County and bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at stake and stones at north-easterly corner thereof on land of Henry Hemmway and running westerly on land of Henry S. Wittenborn to a walnut tree on land of Moses Ellis; thence westerly on land of said Ellis to stake and stones; thence northerly on land of said Ellis to stake and stones; thence westerly on land of said Ellis to stake and stones to land of Abigail Eaton; thence westerly on land of said Eaton to stake and stones; thence southerly on land of said Eaton; thence westerly on land of said Eaton to stake and stones on land of Edward Warren; thence southerly on land of said Warren; thence easterly on land of said Warren to stake and stones at land of Joel Edmonds; thence easterly on land of said Edmonds to stake and stones at land of Mrs. Moore; thence northerly on land of said Moore to stake and stones at the brook; thence by the brook to stake and stones at land of Liberty Chadwick; thence on land of said Chadwick to stake and stones at land of Mrs. Barnes; thence on land of said Barnes and William Hamilton to stake and stones at land of Mrs. McGrath; thence on land of said McGrath to stake and stones at Sudbury road; thence easterly on land of said McGrath and Henry Hemmway to stake and stones on land of said Hemmway to bound first mentioned.

Being the premises described in deed from Edward W. Lamson to Chandler Robbins, dated June 11, 1910 and recorded with Middlesex South District Deeds, book 3880, page 361, and containing 150 acres more or less.

SAMUEL W. TUCKER,
 Deputy Sheriff.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
 Middlesex, ss. PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary F. Dempsey late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Martin Dempsey of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the third day of February A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton and the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Alexander Ratz and Mary Ratz, wife of Newton, Middlesex County, Massachusetts, to Hyman H. Gilfix of said Newton, dated April 14, 1914, and recorded with Middlesex South District, Registry of Deeds, Book 3872, Page 359, for breach of the condition of said mortgage, will be sold at public auction upon or near the premises hereinafter described, on Saturday, February 6, 1915, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed and described therein as follows: The land with the buildings thereon situated in said Newton and being lot numbered 20 as shown on a plan entitled "Nonantum Park, Newton," dated May 5, 1903, surveyed by E. S. Smille and duly recorded with Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 143, Plan 6, bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at land now or formerly of Arthur E. Roy on the westerly side of Hawthorne Street in said Newton, thence running northerly along said Hawthorne Street forty (40) feet; thence running at right angles and running westerly by lot numbered 21 according to said plan one hundred (100) feet; thence turning at right angles and running southerly by lot numbered 22, forty (40) feet; thence turning at right angles and running easterly by lot numbered 19, according to said plan, one hundred (100) feet, to point of beginning, containing according to said plan four thousand (4000) square feet of land.

This conveyance is made subject to a prior mortgage of \$3400. The premises will be sold subject to any and all unpaid taxes, assessments, municipal liens and any accrued interest.

One hundred dollars will be required to be paid in cash at time and place of sale. Other terms will be announced at sale.

HYMAN H. GILFIX,
 Mortgagee,
 61 Clinton St.

Notice Is Hereby Given, that the subscriber has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of James B. Cook late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

MARY S. COOK, Adm.
 Waban, Mass.
 December 29, 1914.

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—Dr. S. F. Chase addressed the Men's Forum on Sunday at the Methodist Church on the subject, "The Bible and the Home."

—Members of the Methodist Church held a Cottage Prayer meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Sarah Quinn on Brooks avenue.

—At the annual meeting of the Boston North End Mission on Monday Mr. Albert D. Auryansen of Judkins street was elected secretary.

—At the annual meeting of the International Trust Co. Monday Mr. Geo. B. H. Macomber of Highland avenue was re-elected a director.

—Mr. and Mrs. Augustus J. Remington and daughter, Virginia, of Otis street, were entertained over the week-end by friends in West Medford.

—"How to Win Men for Christ," is the topic for the mid-week service, which will be held this evening at 7.45 in the vestry of the Methodist Church.

—"Boys' Night" will be observed by the Clafin Club next week on Thursday evening at the Methodist Church. The speaker will be Captain Jack Crawford.

—A meeting of the Queens of Avilion of Central Congregational Church was held Thursday afternoon at the residence of Miss Beula French on Cabot street.

—A meeting of the Lend-a-Hand Society of the First Universalist Church was held Wednesday evening at the residence of Miss Carrie Waugh on Court street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. O'Connor gave a dinner party on Sunday at their residence on Lynn Shore Drive in honor of Miss Harriet C. Morse and her fiancée, Mr. Nicholas Richardson.

—The regular meeting of the Mission Circle of the First Universalist Church will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2.30 at the residence of Mrs. Charles D. Cabot on Watertown street.

—The regular meeting of the Ladies Sewing Circle of the First Universalist Church was held Thursday afternoon in the church parlors and was followed by the annual business meeting.

—Miss Katherine Kimball, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William F. Kimball of Newtonville avenue, has resumed her studies at the Quincy Mansion School.

—Mrs. D. B. Wells of Chicago will deliver a series of lectures on Home and Foreign Missions at the Central Congregational Church, January 25-29, with a mass meeting at 4 P. M. on Sunday, Jan. 24th.

—A rather unique feature of the Sunday service at the Methodist Church will be a fifteen minutes' recital by the Virola of sacred selections by the great masters, which will precede the regular service.

—The first in a series of bi-weekly dancing classes for young and old will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the New Church parlors. An invitation is extended to all members of the congregation and their friends to attend.

—The regular meeting of the Garden City Young People's Branch of the W. F. M. S. was held Wednesday evening in the vestry of the Methodist Church. There was a good attendance and comfort bags for the sailors were filled.

—The New England Branch of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Methodist Church held its quarterly meeting on Wednesday beginning at 10 A. M. and continuing until 3.45 P. M. A program of unusual interest was given and the speakers included Miss Nichols, Mrs. Huntington, Miss Butler and Mrs. Tallon of South America, and Miss Swift and Rev. Wei Ping Chen of China.

—Miss Mildred Macomber, who recently appeared in "Pan and the Star," and was so well received by the press and the public, will show again to the best advantage her ability as an actress and dancer, in the "Ballet of Sylvia," which will be presented at the Boston Opera House on Feb. 1st, under the auspices of the Ways and Means Committee of the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage Association. Miss Macomber will also appear in exhibition dances at the Flemish Kermess, or Belgian Fair, Jan. 20, 21, 22 and 23 in Horticultural Hall.

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SUFFRAGE MEETING

A very interesting meeting was held Wednesday, Jan. 6th, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Walker Carter on Balcarras road, West Newton.

Mr. Philip W. Clark of Cambridge spoke on Equal Suffrage; he said, "I sometimes feel that we who believe in Equal Suffrage become a bit confused as to the issue and feel that we must support our case by the affirmative, that if women have the ballot, our Government will be improved and conditions will be bettered."

"I fully believe that votes for women will mean better conditions. When I am asked why I believe women should vote, my answer is, that I so believe, for the same reason that I believe men should vote. The question then is, Why should any one vote, and what does voting mean?"

"Voting, of course, is simply the having a voice in the selection of those who shall make and administer the laws by which we are governed. The question as to who shall have this voice has been answered differently, at different times, and in different lands."

"Today we have three kinds of government; by the one, by the few, and by the many."

"The earliest form of Government was that of the savage tribes, where the sole test of leadership was physical strength."

"The man with the greatest brute strength became absolute leader, and held his position until overcome by some one stronger than himself. In a government of this sort, woman never had a chance. Today this sort of government has passed, but in its place, is the government by the one, despotic government of Russia is our example."

"The Oligarchy, or government by the few, was found in the Greek and Roman Republics. In both the government was by the one and by the few, it is evident that not only all women, but practically all men, were allowed a voice, and hence in matters of these had we a logical basis for saying that women should be heard."

"These governments make no profession of being responsive to the voice of the many, but what of the United States, our own Commonwealth of Massachusetts?"

"Here we have government based on the principle that all true governments must spring from the consent of the governed."

"Our forefathers, in stating the sort of government which it was their intention to create, showed plainly, that they were determined that those who bore the burdens of government, should have a voice in its conduct. And now, is not our case clear?"

"Surely no one will deny that women must obey the dictates of government, and must pay taxes for its support, and hence, as well as the man's point of view, and the practical way to get it is thru the ballot box."

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—Mrs. William H. Rogers of Page road is recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

—Mrs. Edwin T. Thompson of Walnut street is visiting relatives at North Chichester, N. H.

—Mr. Frank Wendell Pray of Kirk-stall road left Saturday for a sojourn at Pinehurst, N. C.

—Mr. Hubert Carleton, D. L. C., will lead the Ladies' Class on Sunday at the Methodist Church.

—Mr. and Mrs. Orville D. Purdy of Millis, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

—Mr. Arthur H. Park of Madison avenue has returned from an extended business trip through the West.

—Seventeen new members were welcomed into the fellowship of the Central Congregational Church on Sunday last.

—The Thimble Club of the Methodist Church met this afternoon with Mrs. James Watson Campbell at the parsonage.

—A meeting of the Junior League of the Church of the New Jerusalem was held Sunday evening in the church parlors.

—Mr. Fay Roope of the Harvard Glee Club returned Sunday from a tour of St. Louis, St. Paul, Chicago and Minneapolis.

—The regular meeting of the Thespian club will be held Tuesday evening at 7.45 in the parish house of the First Universalist Church.

—The many friends of Mr. John Rogers Byers of Dartmouth College will be glad to learn that he is recovering from a serious illness with typhoid fever at his home on Lowell avenue.

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PARISH MEETING

The annual meeting of the Church of the Messiah was held Monday evening in the parish house. There was large attendance. A supper was served by the Guild of Parish Workers, Mrs. Maurice E. Beardsley, president.

After the supper reports were read from all the different organizations, and were very well received. The rector read a report covering the time in which he has been with the Society, since October the first, and showed a diagram of the ground covered by the attendance at church.

Mr. Edgar Ward, Jr., reported for the treasury of the Church and gave an able and complete statement. Mr. Will Heckman reported for the Sunday School. Mrs. Harold Whitehead for the Missionary Guild and Mrs. Gates for the Parish Workers.

Miss Anna Heald reported for the Altar Guild. Mr. John H. Turner for the Lawrence Club and Mrs. George W. St. Amant for the Junior Auxiliary and Miss Edith Ward for the Girls' Friendly Society. The charts shown were very interesting and all the societies seem to be in a flourishing condition.

Officers for the coming year were balloted for and the following were elected:

Treasurer, Mr. Edgar Ward, Jr.; Clerk, Mr. Franklin J. Hoyt; Senior Warden, Mr. William L. Goodrich; Junior Warden, Mr. Manley U. Adams; Vestrymen, Mr. T. D. Baldwin, Mr. M. E. Beardsley, Mr. Jarvis Lamson, Mr. J. H. H. Turner, Mr. W. W. Heckman, Mr. James Patchett.

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one will be seated during the Prelude,

which shows the appearance of the

Star of Bethlehem, and the Three

Wives, and which should be seen by all

who would thoroughly enjoy the per-

formance of "Ben-Hur."

PLYMOUTH THEATRE—Unless

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ty-four hours. He repairs to Baldpate

Inn to do his work but there he meets

with many adventures, all of the most

thrilling kind, and the fun comes from

the incidents and the surprises. It

finds him from turning out the

novel. Baldpate Inn is supposed to

be deserted, being closed for the win-

ter, but events prove the contrary. It

is a shout of laughter from first to

last and is being hugely enjoyed by

the public.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE—

"Common Clay," the Harvard Prize

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tists. The really remarkable notices

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scale. The play deserves its success.

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which she acts. Her speech in the

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realism and is accorded the tribute

not only of applause but of tears. Mr.

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Fullerton, Mr. Al Robson and Mr. Al-

fred Lund continue the sound work

that critics praised on Thursday.

HUNNEWELL CLUB

The January whist party on Mon-

day night filled nine tables with

souvenirs being awarded to Mrs. Edna

Mellus, Mrs. George M. Nash, Mrs. C.

L. Pearson and Mrs. M. S. Keith. Dur-

ing the social hour which followed

the game, Mrs. Jas. P. Richardson and

Mrs. Edward P. Tuttle poured.

Prof. Albert Bushnell Hart of Har-

vard College will give a lecture this

evening on "What the World Pays for

War."

WOMEN'S CLUBS

MISS GRACE M. BURT, Editor

Five years ago in response to a call

sent out by the Massachusetts State

Federation of Women's Clubs delegates

from all the New England states as-

sembled in Boston for a conference

on matters in which the whole of New

England has a joint interest. As a

result of this meeting, there was

formed what is now known as the New

England Conference. This organiza-

tion holds an annual meeting about the

last of January, and since that first

one in Boston it will have met in each

of the States, the one in Vermont at

Burlington on Feb. 3 and 4, complet-

ing the round; so that it will natu-

ally come back to Massachusetts again

next year. The plans for the confer-

ence sound most attractive. It will

open with a social meeting in charge

of the Athena Club, the hostess on this

occasion on the evening of Feb. 3. The

morning of the next day will be

given to a consideration of industrial

and social problems, especially of

children in industry and immigrant

women. Mrs. Charles Kemel, the

General Federation chairman of that

department, will give an address. The

afternoon session will be devoted to

the work of Home Economics with an

address by Prof. Bertha M. Terrill of

the Home Economics department of

the University of Vermont. There will

be reports from the different states on

work done. In the evening there will

be an address by some speaker of note.

Newton Federation

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No employee of this paper or member of employees' family shall be eligible to enter this contest.

Votes once balloted for a candidate cannot be transferred to any other candidate, nor can one candidate's name be substituted for another.

No votes will be recorded for any candidate who has not been properly nominated.

In case of a tie in any district, the two candidates tying in that district shall be declared elected to the Travel Club, and both sent on the trip. The same applies to any of the prizes which will be offered.

Candidates may enter any time during the contest. The management reserves the right to reject the nomination or application of any candidate at its discretion.

Candidates will compete only against the candidates in their own district, but can secure votes anywhere.

Coupons good for the number of votes printed on them will be printed each week in this paper and may be cut out and voted for any candidate.

Special votes will be issued on cash subscriptions turned into the NEWTON GRAPHIC office by candidates or their friends. These votes will be termed Certificate Votes. Votes clipped from this paper will be called Coupon Votes.

No votes will be sold outright for money or other consideration, but must be obtained by clipping coupons from the regular issues of this paper, or through paid subscriptions, under the rules of the contest.

Votes will be issued on subscriptions, both new and old. Subscriptions paid at the office by subscribers for contestants, the names of the subscribers will not be divulged. This is done to protect the subscriber.

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You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge in said County, on the second day of February A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, any you have, why the same should be allowed.

And said administrator is ordered to serve this citation by delivering a copy thereof to all persons interested in the estate fourteen days at least before said Court, or by publishing the same once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one at least before said Court, and by mailing, postpaid, a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this seventh day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.
W. E. ROGERS, Register.

MASS MEETING

There will be a Mass Meeting on Sunday, January 24, 1915, at 4 P. M., at the Central Congregational Church, Walnut street, Newtonville, under the auspices of the Woman's Interdenominational Committee of the City of Newton. The program includes an address by Mrs. D. B. Wells of Chicago on "The Meaning of the World's Unrest," and singing by Mr. J. Garfield Stone. Everyone invited.

Mrs. D. B. Wells will also deliver a series of five lectures on "Home and Foreign Missions" on January 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th and 29th, at 10 A. M. in the Central Congregational Church, Newtonville.

The topics for each of the five days are announced as follows:

Monday, January 25, 10 A. M.—Motherhood and Childhood; 11 A. M.—In the Long-ago Days.

Tuesday, January 26, 10 A. M.—Nature plus Nurture. 11 A. M.—The Wards of the Nation.

Wednesday, January 27, 10 A. M.—The Emergence of Individuality. 11 A. M.—The Indian's present-day Problems and Progress.

Thursday, January 28, 10 A. M.—The Accumulation of Life's Tools. 11 A. M.—The Principles of the New Home Missions.

Friday, January 29, 10 A. M.—Salvation and Service. 11 A. M.—The Programme of the New Home Missions.

N. T. H. S.

Miss Butler of the Senior class, Salem Normal School, is assisting in the Commercial department.

Dave Douglas, class of 1913, sailed from New York on Saturday, for France where he is going to drive a motor ambulance for the Red Cross.

On Thursday, the following girls are to take the Massachusetts Civil Service Examination for Stenographers, given at the State House, Miss Grace Bowen, Viola Doyle, Alice Klockner, Ruth Spencer, Helen Marsh, Eva Shrier, Margaret Farmer, Mae Loneragan, and Helen Bennett. Most of these girls are Seniors in the school, and a few are taking Post Graduate work. Afternoons, Saturday mornings, and a few days during vacation were spent in preparing for the exam.

The Mandolin Club is composed of four boys, Donald Hunt, Cuthbert Cary, and George Wiswell, while Robert Fairbanks accompanies on the piano. The Club will play at some of the Senior assemblies.

The girls of both schools are practicing for their annual indoor meet which is to be held some time in March.

The second Tuesday in each month is "Parent's Day" at the High Schools. The teachers stay from 3 to 4.30 to receive any parents.

The Gym team practices every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Stuart Daniels is captain and manager of the team.

A Senior boy, Charles Capon, has charge of the library the sixth period on Monday.

Because of all the schools being closed on Thursday, Friday was run on Thursday's program, but the Seniors went to the Hall just the same the second period. Mrs. C. V. Gilson of Wellesley, a well known suffragist, addressed the Assembly. The title of her speech was "Equal Suffrage, the Question of the Hour." Mrs. Gilson said that our government was young when compared to other governments, and has been trying a democracy but can never have one while half the people are deprived of the ballot. She proved that the West is more progressive than the East, and stated that in 49 1-2 per cent of the territory of the U. S. the women have the vote. After her talk, Mrs. Gilson answered questions. The subject was well handled, and the class seemed interested.

About sixty couples attended the Alumni dance. During the intermission streamers filled the air making a very pretty sight. The dance was a great success.

Miss Matelena Maxim and John Blackney have charge of the ushers at the third annual "Declamation." Public Declarations are necessary to raise money for the care of the books in the school library, and the buying of new ones.

The Freshmen and Sophomores were to go to the Hall Wednesday if there had been school.

One of the most successful social gatherings of the present season was the fourth annual dancing party of the Newton High School Commercial Alumni Association, held in Temple

Hall, Newtonville, last Friday evening and which was very largely attended by members of the Alumni and their friends.

The arrangements were in the hands of a most capable committee and aids consisting of John E. Kelley, president of the association; Miss Frances A. Ireland, vice-president; Miss Margaret G. Cotton, secretary; Edward B. Gray, treasurer; Misses Esther K. Bryson, Anna Mae Cavanaugh, Margaret G. Cotton, Viola Estelle, Mary H. McFadden, Louise F. Moffat, Beatrice A. Slattery, and Messrs. John J. Hines, Chesleigh D. Hurd, Leroy B. Hurd, James F. McInerney, Charles Mahoney, George E. Merrill, Jr., Eardley F. Nowers and E. Arthur Quilty.

The Patronesses selected to chaperon the affair were Mrs. Edwin O. Childs, Jr., Miss Kate Wiley, and Mrs. John Enegeas.

A SUBWAY STOP AT ARLINGTON STREET

From the Boston Transcript.

With Boylston street cleared of the debris that made it so long impassable and the cars bowling merrily underground in the new subway, the public is beginning to realize that this important district has not yet become so accessible as its importance and its future growth demand. A station at Arlington street is still much needed. Nearly thirty thousand citizens have already testified to this fact by signing a petition which makes clear and intelligent demand for access from the station at the center point of one of Boston's busiest districts, where schools, churches and important shops are now so closely grouped. Inspection of Boylston street from Clarendon to Park square makes quickly evident the merit of their plea. In fact it appears that the present service, running for nearly a mile without a stop from Copley square to Tremont street, could be justified only if the business geography of the district were in exact reverse of what it actually is. As nearly thirty thousand citizens testify, and as more than one hundred merchants of the district agree, the present situation is not only unwarranted by the conditions, but creative of very serious hardship. Yearly we have observed the increasing congestion of the old shopping and business district. In very self-defense, Boston's business area must be enlarged—the Under Forty Committee of the Chamber has just reported to that effect. We need growth to relieve congestion and growth to increase our capacity. The growth can only move in a westerly direction out of Boylston street; all the other avenues are practically closed to development. . . . It is to the interest not alone of Boston's business, but also to the interest of the city's property values and tax schedulers that such land should be well and speedily utilized. We must stimulate its growth by making it accessible, not to stultify it by rushing traffic past the section underground at thirty miles an hour. The stop at Arlington street would be unique among stops—for that it would hasten progress. . . .

NEWTON CLUB NOTES

The ladies' bridge on Tuesday the 12th was a great success in spite of the terrible rainstorm. Thirteen tables were filled and a collation was served at 4.30. The general direction of this day's bridge was in the hands of Mrs. Fred E. Mann, to whom much credit is due for her excellent supervision of the general arrangements.

Next week Wednesday, the 20th, there will be evening bridge. The matrons for the occasion will be Mrs. Ryder, Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Hunter; and Mrs. Ely and Mrs. Allen will pour.

On Saturday night there will be a regular stag luncheon and a smoke talk by Mr. Henry J. Nichols, who will discuss the federal regulation of the packers' industry. It is expected an unusually large audience will turn out to hear what Mr. Nichols is to say.

Last night being neighborhood night, a considerable number of members with their guests turned out to enjoy the bowling, cards, billiards and pool. There was dancing with victrola music. A week ago an unusually large number went to the ballroom to enjoy the instruction of Miss Collins. This is a new feature instituted by the entertainment committee, and should prove popular.

NONANTUM MINSTRELS

The fifteenth annual minstrel show of the Nonantum Athletic Association was held Wednesday evening at the State Armory, West Newton, and an audience of 1200 persons testified to the high reputation this Association has made for itself on these lines. Mayor Childs who has been the interlocutor at these shows for many years, again officiated in that capacity. The title of the show was "The Fox Hunt Cabaret," and it was under the direction of John J. Caddigan.

The singing of the chorus and also the soloists were much applauded, and the local jokes were much appreciated. The end men were Frank Maguire, Al Frechette, Tom Casey, Jeff Landry, Frank Terrio and Louise Boudrot, and the singing of the Keystone Quartet, composed of the following members: P. J. Flaherty, J. J. Donaghy, M. J. Campbell and J. A. Testa, was one of the features of the performance.

The show was a slight departure from the old-time minstrelsy, as a staff of cabaret girls did several unique dances in the aisle of the hall, while the principals rendered their solos from the stage. The cabaret girls comprised Catherine Horan, Helen Moran, Louise Moran, Hattie Hurley, Ethel Quinlan, Mabel Happenney, Gertrude Doyle and Effie Terrio.

Following the show dancing was enjoyed until 2 o'clock under the direction of William Hanson, George M. Bradley, William House, Francis Terrio, Walter Connors, Christopher Keating, Charles Chasson, Frank Prendergast, Walter Boudrot, Alex Bennett, Joseph Boudrot, John McNamara, Horace Bellisle, Thomas Foley, William Barron, Joseph McDermott, Walter Connors and Raymond Deveris.

Upper Falls

—Mrs. James Tully is ill at her home on High street.

—Mrs. Samuel Curry of High street is convalescing from her recent illness at Attleboro, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. Roy Springer of Chestnut street is receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

—Mrs. Edwin Cooper of Elliot street who fell on the ice at her home recently, is suffering from a broken wrist.

—Mrs. Thomas A. Wry of Lynn is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Wilde of Oak street.

The Standard Bearers will be entertained at the home of Miss Helen Nutter of Boylston street on Thursday evening.

—Empress Mary Lodge, Daughters of St. George, will hold a Whist Party and Dance Wednesday evening, January 20, at Foresters Hall.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Coward of High street returned Wednesday from Trenton, N. J., where they visited friends after attending the New York Automobile Show.

—Sunday at the Methodist Episcopal Church the pastor will preach at 10.45 on, "The Testimony of John the Baptist," and at 7 P. M., "If Christ should come to Newton Upper Falls."

—The teachers and officers of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School will hold a social in the vestry on Wednesday evening. Mr. Amos L. Betts of the Methodist Book Concern, Boston, will be the speaker of the evening.

—The Twombly House Association, 353 Elliot street, requests donations on Saturday of groceries for the benefit of families in this neighborhood who are in urgent need thru lack of employment. In some cases the need is aggravated by sickness. Mrs. Arthur St. C. Hilton is in charge of the work.

—The attention of our feminine readers is called to the announcement on the first page and the advertisement on the seventh page of the formation of a Newton Graphic Travel Club to provide free trips to Washington during Easter week. This is a most unusual opportunity to visit the National capital at the most attractive season of the year and is well worth a personal investigation.

GIVEN SEAL RING

Mr. Charles D. Cabot, who was installed Monday evening for the 25th time as secretary of Mt. Ida Council, R. A. at Dennison Hall, Newtonville, was presented with a valuable seal ring by his fellow members in recognition of his long and faithful service, the presentation being made by Mr. J. B. Robson.

These officers were installed by Deputy Grand Regent Dr. Franklin Wells of Boston:

Regent, Charles E. Ryall; vice-regent, Edward L. Liefer; orator, David Webster; secretary, Charles D. Cabot; collector, Joseph B. Robson; treasurer, Samuel J. Spear; chaplain, C. Henry Goodwin, Jr.; guide, Walter F. Jackson; warden, Robert W. Clarke; sentry, Archie A. Wilson; trustee, for three years, Samuel K. Billings. The installing officer and his guide were each presented with bouquets. The retiring regent was presented with a past-regent's jewel and it was announced that he would represent the Council in the grand council this year.

Following the installation a collation was furnished by the Entertainment committee and there was dancing.

RED CROSS AUXILIARY

The Red Cross Auxiliary of Newton acknowledges the receipt of \$270 for carrying on its work and has expended \$125. There is need of many more workers and every lady in Newton should make an effort to attend the meetings held every Friday from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. in Channing Church parlors.

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The Newton Graphic Travel Club will leave Boston, South Station, the first week in April, for New York City via Fall River Line, to Philadelphia by rail, thence to Washington, D. C., where several days will be spent in sight-seeing, visiting Mt. Vernon, the home of George Washington, Alexandria and everything of interest in and about Washington, under the guidance of a competent tour conductor. To New York for a day or more. Return to Boston by boat. Complete itinerary will be given in a few days. Think of sight-seeing in New York City, Philadelphia, and several days at Washington, the capital of the United States.

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The proposed trip, coming at the very opportune time, Easter Holiday week, should appeal very much to students and teachers of the public schools, as well as many others, inasmuch as it furnishes an excellent opportunity to enjoy a most pleasing vacation and at no expense.

This trip should not be compared, in any way, with those cheap advertised excursions that are an annual affair, as the Newton Graphic has taken much time and effort in preparing a suitable itinerary and desires to make it plain that the very best of everything will be given the young women who will compose the Newton Graphic Travel Club. The Travel Club will be accompanied by a chaperon and shown about the cities visited by an experienced tour conductor. It should also be remembered that this trip will be an all-expense affair, borne by the Newton Graphic. The trips proffered should be an incentive to any young women desirous of seeing Washington. And the half has not been told relative to what is in store for the fortunate ones who secure the honor to be a member of the Travel Club.

GOLD PIECE FOR NOMINATION

The Newton Graphic will give the first nominator of the candidate securing the largest vote total at the conclusion of the contest a ten-dollar gold piece. A nominator can name as many candidates as may be desired. Send in the names of your favorite at once.

FATAL ACCIDENT

Emerich Hacsunda, a 12-year-old boy living in Allston, was found dead last Saturday afternoon about three o'clock on the railroad track near the Woodland road bridge at Auburndale, by station master D. W. Welch. The lad had started from his home Saturday morning to pick up coal on the railroad tracks at Allston and was last seen standing on top of a freight car on a train leaving the Allston yards. It is thought that he was struck by the bridge as the train passed underneath.

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Mr. Daniel G. Wing of West Newton was also re-elected president of the First National and Mr. Herbert K. Hallett of Newtonville was re-elected president of the Fourth-Atlantic bank.

Among the directors elected are Mr. Manley U. Adams of West Newton, Old Boston; Mr. Arthur H. Soden of Newtonville, Commercial; Mr. Arthur F. Luke of West Newton, Boylston; Mr. Edward F. Woods of West Newton, Fourth-Atlantic; Messrs. Joseph N. Damon and Frank R. Ferrin of Newton, Security; Mr. James L. Richards of Newtonville, Merchants; Mr. Charles P. Hall and Mr. Edward E. Blodgett of West Newton and Mr. John Hopewell and Mr. George W. Brown of Newton, First National.

Mr. Clifton H. Dwinell of Newtonville was chosen a vice-president of the First and Mr. George W. Newhall of West Newton, a vice-president of the Fourth-Atlantic.

In the Trust Companies, the International re-elected Messrs. O. M. Fisher, Edwin P. Brown and Loren D. Towle of Newton, Mr. Geo. B. H. Macomber of Newtonville and elected Mr. Henry L. Jewett of West Newton. The United States Trust elected Mr. George F. Schrafft of Newtonville, the Fidelity elected Mr. N. W. Dennett of Auburndale and the Exchange elected Mr. Donald M. Hill of Waban.

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BOY SCOUTS EXHIBITION

Newton Troops Entertain A Large Audience At High School

The Exhibition by the Eighth District Council of the Boy Scouts of America in the Technical High School hall on Tuesday night attracted an audience which filled every seat and the Standing Room Only sign was hung out early in the evening.

It is estimated that upwards of 700 persons were present, and from the standpoint of numbers and enthusiasm the audience was everything that could be desired.

Promptly at 8 o'clock District Scout Commissioner E. R. Kimball, Jr., entered the hall followed by the Scout Masters, James C. Irwin, James G. Patterson, Dr. Robert F. Hayden, Percy W. Carver, Everett W. Varney, Rev. James F. Carlyon, and Charles H. Woodworth, with their assistants, and 150 of the most likely looking boys you ever laid eyes upon. This body filled practically every inch of the space between the stage and the seats.

Facing the audience the Scouts gave the Scout Law and Oath, and then squatted upon the floor, while Commissioner Kimball took the stage and addressed the audience on the organization, object, and results, of the Boy Scout work. As he related the things required of the Scouts it was forced home upon those present that a boy who works his way thru from the Tender Foot, to the First Class dement has a foundation for a liberal education, and one that makes for true manhood.

The Scouts showed their skill in caring for the injured, by bandaging up some broken (?) heads, illustrating the Fireman's Lift, and making Stretchers for carrying off the injured. Then followed the Scout games, and right here was the place to laugh. There was a rooster fight, and another that looked like a Stork fight, and then another sort of a fight with stuffed clubs, in which to win you had to hit the other fellow over the head. It was certainly funny—for the audience.

At this point His Honor, Mayor Edwin O. Childs, Jr., spoke to the Scouts on the subject, "A Good Citizen." Mayor Childs is right at home with the Boys, and he gave them some excellent advice on how to have a well balanced life. He emphasized the need of caring for the Intellectual, Spiritual, and Physical Life.

After this address the Scouts once more took the centre of the stage, and demonstrated various methods of rescuing from Drowning, Artificial Respiration, Boxing the Compass, Knot Tying, Making Fire without Matches, and Signaling with Flag and Flashlight. Then followed the Troop and Battalion Yells, and the Retreat by the Scout Buglers.

The making of fire without matches was perhaps the most interesting work done by the boys. One reason for this was that this was the first time they had ever tried this stunt in public, and the second reason was that one of the boys succeeded in breaking the record of 26 seconds, by producing a good flame in 25 seconds.

On the stage with Commissioner Kimball, who was Master of Ceremonies, were the following gentlemen: Mayor Childs, Mr. Harold Peabody and Mr. Charles C. Jackson, President and Treasurer respectively of the Greater Boston Council, and Mr. John H. Eddy, Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Eighth District Council.

In the audience were representative men and women from all the Newtons. They happy faces betraying the fact that somewhere in that group of boys there was one who had a special line of communication with their heart strings and when you looked at the boys you didn't blame the parents in the least for the pride they took in the achievements of these manly youngsters.

The Eighth District Council of Boy Scouts of America is organized as follows:—

President, Charles H. Woodworth, Newton; vice-president, Everett W. Varney, Newton Centre; treasurer, Clarence H. Lingham, 309 Lake avenue, Newton Highlands; secretary and district scout commissioner, Edward R. Kimball, Jr., 32 Oxford road, Newton Centre.

Finance Committee: John H. Eddy, Newtonville; Oscar E. Nutter, Newton Upper Falls; Robert M. Clark, Newton Centre.

Court of Honor: The District Scout Commissioner, Newton Centre; Charles H. Woodworth, Newton; Rev. Edward M. Noyes, Newton Centre; H. S. Upham, Auburndale; John D. Coward, Newton Upper Falls. There are 41 members of the Council at this date.

Scout Troops: 1st Troop, Newtonville; Scoutmaster, James C. Irwin; Assistant Scoutmasters, James C. Irwin, Jr., William N. Dudley, Howard F. Mitchell, Keith F. Warren.

2nd Troop, Auburndale; Scoutmaster, James G. Patterson.

3rd Troop, Newton Centre; Scoutmaster, Dr. Robert F. Hayden; Assistant Scoutmasters, W. Lawrence Beckett, Robert L. Forbush.

4th Troop, Newton Highlands; Scoutmaster, Percy W. Carver.

5th Troop, Newton Centre; Scoutmaster, Everett W. Varney; Assistant Scoutmasters, Robert C. Bray, George R. Walworth, Chester M. Jones.

6th Troop, Newton Upper Falls; Scoutmaster, Rev. James F. Carlyon.

11th Troop, Newton; Scoutmaster, Charles H. Woodworth.

ELECT ALDERMAN

Mr. Grosvenor Calkins Selected As Successor To Alderman Blakemore

At the regular meeting of the aldermen Monday evening, ex-alderman Grosvenor Calkins was elected a member of the board to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of President Arthur W. Blakemore. A largely signed petition from residents of ward one in favor of the election of Mr. Ernest W. Paine was presented by Alderman Forkall, who subsequently nominated Mr. Paine for the office. Alderman Jamieson nominated Mr. Calkins and Alderman Murphy named Mr. John C. Madden, stating that his candidate was the undoubted choice of a majority of the residents of the ward. Alderman Hollis seconded the nomination of Mr. Paine. An informal ballot gave Mr. Calkins 15 votes, Mr. Paine, 2 votes, and Mr. Madden, 1 vote. Mr. Calkins was then unanimously elected on a formal ballot, and assigned to the committee on Licenses by President Blanchard.

Hearings were held on Edison light poles on Newtonville avenue and on petition A. K. Casson to keep gasoline on Commonwealth avenue, ward 6. Mayor Childs sent in the reappointment of Chairman Lewis E. Coffin of the board of assessors for three years, recommended suspension of ordinances so as to allow payment of salary to City Solicitor Slocum, approved grant for city expenses thru February, and request of board of health for \$1192 for contagious sick, and \$240.63 for pension to Nicholas Saunders.

Petitions of Edward F. Barnes and Wendell C. Hatch for auctioneer's licenses, H. T. Fuller for an auto express license, and other petitions received from R. N. Wales, Isaac Turgeon, A. H. Goyer & Co., and A. I. Danforth for taxi cab licenses. Marie B. Mack for common victualler license, F. P. Burnham for sewer in Glen road, Quinn et al for improvement in Laundry brook, R. F. Sanderson for sewer in Windemere road, Michael Norton for damages from overflow from manhole on Adams street, the Telephone Co. to place pole on library land, from the Comptroller of Accounts relative to workmen's compensation for John Mahan, and the Board of Health for sewers in Thompsonville district.

Alderman Cabot drew the names of the following person to act as Jurors next month at the Cambridge Superior Court, James H. Kenslea and Charles J. Cody, Nonantum; Charles A. Cunningham, Patrick J. Kehoe, and Charles B. Faith, Newton; Gustav W. Ulmer, Jr., Newton Centre; Francis C. Sheridan, West Newton and Albert H. Elder, Newton Highlands.

On report of committees \$155,692 was granted for city expenses to Feb. 28, leave to withdraw granted F. H. Shepard for pool table licenses, attachments on Farwell street granted the Telephone Co., and leave to withdraw granted on petition for sewer off Lexington street, and the various recommendation of Mayor Childs referred to standing committees.

The Finance committee after a recess reported an order closing the 1914 accounts into an Excess and Deficiency account and an order for a special committee of five to interview the Boston Elevated Co. in regard to street car services was also adopted. Aldermen Jamieson, Jarvis, Harriman, Forkall and Murphy being appointed as the committee.

The appointments of Howard B. Coffin, Joseph Byers, Frank E. Hun-

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WABAN PROTESTS

Against Abolition Of Its Present Postal Station

Waban residents made a strong protest Tuesday morning to Postmaster Murray of Boston against the proposition to abolish the post office station at Waban and to make that district a part of the Newton Highlands station. Postmaster William F. Murray opened the hearing by explaining that the proposed change was to be made in the interest of economy. The lease of the Postoffice quarters at Waban was near expiration, and the service, especially in connection with money orders, could be improved. An inspector had studied the problem presented, and had recommended that economies aggregating from \$500 to \$1000 a year could be effected by the proposed change.

The carrier service would be improved, with two deliveries a day, and a team for delivering parcel post matter when needed. Letters would be addressed as now to Waban, and a special Waban stamp would mark outgoing mail at the Newton Highlands Postoffice.

Postmaster Murray in closing, stated that the question was entirely an economic one; that he purposed saving every dollar possible without taking any out of the employes of his office.

The case of the protesting Waban residents was managed by Charles A. Andrews, who followed Postmaster Murray. He thought every resident of Waban would OK an improved service. He then asked for details as to the proposed improved carrier service. Joseph Congdon, the next speaker, said he had lived in Waban 17 years and was interested in real estate there. He said it was a long fight to get Waban established and recognized as a coming community, but that now it was one of the most prosperous parts of Newton, and growing rapidly. It was a community of single houses, of which the last three years 48 have been built, all of high grade. He doubted if any similar suburb could make a better showing. From a real estate viewpoint he thought other sections of Newton would take immediate advantage of the removal of Waban's Postoffice, to the detriment of Waban.

George Angier, who owns one of the largest estates in Waban, said he could not see that any economy would be effected by removing the base of distribution of the mail more than a mile, and imposing the extra travel twice a day on the carriers. Waban's identity was very important to it. The trouble with the situation was, said Mr. Angier, that Waban had grown faster than the Postoffice facilities.

Postmaster Murray asked the speaker what changes he would make in the Waban office if he were postmaster of Boston. Mr. Angier replied that he would first get it out of the store in which it is now quartered. He would get it as near as possible to the centre of the area of distribution.

"What about the present postmaster?" asked Mr. Murray. Postmaster E. W. Conant of Waban was present and spoke up: "It is immaterial to me; there would be no difficulty in taking care of him."

Rev. James Clement Sharp, pastor of the Church of the Good Shepherd, said he spoke from a sentimental rather than a business standpoint. He thought the removal of the Postoffice would be a detriment to Waban, which was a distinct community, geographically and socially apart from other sections of Newton.

Alderman Joseph W. Bartlett said the question of economy "was fine," but he didn't think economies would be affected, and even if so, this plan should not be undertaken against the will of the united community.

Alderman Bartlett explained how lib-

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NEW PRESIDENT

Mr. Wm. J. Cozens To Lead Newton Board Of Trade

At the annual meeting of the Newton Board of Trade held at Newtonville on Monday evening, President Fred A. Hubbard was in the chair and there was a good attendance. Mr. Al-



Courtesy Newton Free Press.

WILLIAM J. COZENS,
President Newton Board of Trade.

Ian S. White of Newton Centre gave an interesting talk on "Business Conditions in Newton," urging the establishment of a credit bureau and taking some action against objectionable billboard advertising. 19 new members were elected, and a plan adopted for a vigorous campaign for new members with membership teams in the various parts of the city. The treasurer's report showed a favorable balance of \$232. Mr. William J. Cozens of Newton Highlands was elected president, Mr. Thomas J. Kavanaugh of Newton, first vice-president, Mr. Horace W. Orr of Newtonville, second vice-president, Mr. Ernest W. Paine of Newton, third vice-president and Mr. Willard L. Sampson of Newton, secretary-treasurer. The retiring president was presented with a bouquet of flowers by Mr. Cozens, the new president.

BOTHELD A GOOD LOSER

Rep. Henry E. Bothfeld of Newton, who, for a time, contested with Channing H. Cox for the republican nomination for the house speakership, showed himself a good loser at the republican house caucus.

The Newton man seconded the nomination of Rep. Cox. He said that it was fitting that one who, in the language of the country fair had been honorably mentioned for the place, should take part in the bestowal of the blue ribbon, and expressed his pleasure that the nomination was to go to one so well fitted to receive it. The election of Mr. Cox was thereupon brought about unanimously.

Speaker Cox can depend upon Rep. Bothfeld for the same loyal service and friendship that the latter gave so zealously and unselfishly to Speaker Cushing. Mr. Bothfeld is one of the best legislators Newton has ever sent to Beacon hill—which is equivalent to saying that he is one of the best lawmakers that has ever served under the gilded dome—and as chairman of the committee on metropolitan affairs he will undoubtedly continue to add glory to his already enviable record as a public servant.—Practical Politics.

BOUND FOR WASHINGTON

A Number of Ladies Already Entered in the Newton Graphic Travel Club

The NEWTON GRAPHIC announces today the names of candidates so far nominated for membership in the Travel club, which includes five deluxe trips to Washington, New York, Philadelphia, and other places, with all expenses paid. The response is most gratifying. The trip to be given is one that appeals to all and the special itinerary that has been prepared for this particular trip makes the project the more alluring. The great contest is for women only and the representative list of nominees published in this issue from each district, is assurance enough that the personnel of the party will be most satisfactory.

The list of nominations for the Travel club received at this office before eleven o'clock this morning, is published below. Each one starts with 5,000 votes, as the nomination counts that much. The real vote counting will now begin, and the standing of the contestants will be published each week until the close of the contest.

Get a Good Start.

The first thing for the candidates to do is to win a place, and the only possible way to do this is to secure the needed votes. The early weeks of the contest are the best for vote getting, so it is suggested to all whose names appear today that they get their candidacy well established at the earliest possible moment, as supporters will work in proportion to the interest shown by the candidate.

Secure Votes Anywhere.

Get the promise of subscriptions now and collect them later. The districts have been established and one trip will be awarded the candidate securing the largest vote in the district in which she competes. A contestant is not confined to any particular section to secure votes, but may solicit anywhere. It will be noted, by referring to the table of votes, that the new subscriptions secure the largest vote. A new subscriber is one who did not take the paper regularly at the time this contest was announced.

Office Open Thursday Night.

For the accommodation of the candidates and their friends the contest department will be open each Thursday evening until nine o'clock, and at any other time by appointment. The NEWTON GRAPHIC is ready and willing to assist the candidates in every possible way and request that they call up by phone or in person, at any time. Receipt books and report blanks will be mailed each nominee, so that no time need be lost. Best plan is to call and get them at the office.

Votes for Women.

With the publishing of the names so far entered in the competition the opportunity for women to vote is thereby provided, for not only can the women vote, but they can vote for women, too. Organizations will be perfected and lines drawn in a manner that will surprise the most experienced campaign manager.

Get a Campaign Manager.

That is one very important asset—a campaign manager—and each candidate us urged to get a good one—or two—and then show the men what can be done in the way of vote getting.

Coupons Help Swell Totals.

While the subscriptions count the larger vote, candidates should not forget the coupons. The votes that are

given on cash payments will be issued at the office at the time payment is made, and under no conditions will votes be issued unless the money accompanies the subscription.

Vote Exhibit.

Next Friday the first list showing the standing of the candidates will be given and all votes to be counted must be in the ballot box by Thursday night. Candidates who cannot call during the day can report Thursday evening, or in response to a phone message a representative will call, if convenient, and get the votes.

Certificate Vote on Subscriptions.

Any payment made on subscriptions in favor of a candidate, properly nominated, will secure votes. Contestants are urged to solicit pre-payment and arrearages as well as new subscriptions.

The new subscription gets the most votes, so candidates should put the most effort into procuring new readers. No candidate need hesitate to ask any person to subscribe for The NEWTON GRAPHIC. Every home should have it, and the fact that it costs no more to pay a candidate than at the office and may mean the winning of a most delightful trip for the person in whose favor it is paid, should be incentive enough for the subscriber.

Is Your Name on the List?

There are many candidates in the field, but there is room for more. All candidates have the same opportunity of winning one of the valuable trips. The winners in an event of this nature will be the ones who assert themselves and do not overlook an opportunity to secure the votes by the subscription route.

Cast Ballots Thursday.

The ballot box for the reception of the votes is located in the business office and votes sent to this office are kept in this box until the time for counting, which is done every Thursday night. No person will be informed of what votes have been cast until the vote standing is published each week.

A Word to Present Subscribers.

Persons who are at present readers of this paper can help a candidate materially by clipping out the coupon that appears each week, write thereon the name of the favorite contestant, and send or bring to this office before expiration.

Subscription Votes.

The table of votes is given on another page and the most liberal number of counters is issued on NEW SUBSCRIPTIONS, but any payment made of one dollar or more entitles the payee to vote for some of those who are entered in the contest.

Ask for the Votes.

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The election of Mr. Grosvenor Cal-
kins to the vacancy in the board of al-
dermen, notwithstanding the strong
petition in favor of Mr. Paine is no
reflection whatever upon the qualifi-
cations of the latter. The members of
the board undoubtedly felt that the ex-
perience Mr. Calkins had had during
his recent two years of service in the
board, would make him a more useful
man to the city than one who had had
no experience whatever in the business
of the city. Mr. Paine's term will prob-
ably come at the regular city election.

The statement of Alderman Pratt
at the meeting Monday night that the
school committee had overrun its 1914
appropriation by nearly three thousand
dollars will create some interest among
former members of the city govern-
ment, and ought to lead to some drastic
action by the present board of al-
dermen. If the school department can
violate the city charter and statute law
by incurring liabilities in excess of the
appropriations, what is to prevent
other city departments from doing
the same.

Congratulations to the Newton
Board of Trade in its selection of Mr.
William J. Cozens as its president.
Mr. Cozens has shown his faith in the
future of this city by making large in-
vestments in its real estate and there-
for had a deep interest in the growth
of the city.

Residents of Newtonville have asked
the Legislature to grant the city the
necessary authority to reimburse Mrs.
D. C. Heath for the cost of the twenty
years ago in the laying out of
Lowell avenue. The authority and the
money ought to be promptly granted.

Considerable interest is being man-
ifested in the free trips to Washington
offered by the GRAPHIC and there is
a good entry list already. Get into the
game early in order to have as long
a period as possible to obtain the nec-
essary votes.

CENTRAL CLUB

The Central Club observed its an-
nual Boys' Night last evening in the
parlors of Central Congregational
Church with an attendance of more
than 200 members and their guests.
An informal reception was held at
6 o'clock after which dinner was
served. A new feature was intro-
duced, sixteen of the young ladies of
the congregation serving as wait-
resses.

Mr. Lothrop Withington, Jr., a well
known American athlete gave a high-
ly interesting and instructive talk to
the boys. Mr. Withington is the Har-
vard coach and has been interested in
athletics for many years and has two
brothers, now in Harvard University
actively interested in athletics.

The pastor, Rev. A. J. Muste also
gave a very witty and interesting talk.
An excellent musical program was
furnished by the Mandolin Club com-
posed of Dr. Harold O. Hunt, Mr. Ev-
erett Judkins, Mr. Carl Schipper, Mr.
Guy Wyatt, Mr. Joseph W. Byers, 2nd,
Mr. Cuthbert Carey, Mr. Donald Hunt,
Mr. Harry Weare, mandolinists; Mr.
Warner Marshall, banjo and Mr. Fred
E. Mann, pianist. It was one of the
most enjoyable affairs the Club has
ever given.

Lower Falls

—On Thursday, Jan. 28, the Ladies'
Parish Aid Society of St. Mary's Epis-
copal Church will give a silver tea
in the parish hall from 3 o'clock until
5.

How the Kaiser Governs England.

Cecil Chesterton on the start-
ling secret party subscrip-
tions by which Germany
hoped to keep England out of
the war.

England's Navy, Pathfinder to Contraband.

Anglo-American on Britain's
stand in a matter that has
bred controversy in every
war.

More Team Work in Neutrality.

How community of interest is
making solid South America's
friendship.

Boston
Transcript
Saturday, January 23, 1915

UNDER THE GILDED DOME

The recess committee on changing
methods of Legislative procedure of
which representative Bothfield was
House Chairman has submitted a long
and interesting report of over 100
printed pages and contains a large
amount of valuable matter on this
subject, not only from our own Com-
monwealth but from other states as
well.

It is interesting to learn that the
legislature of 1880 considered 648
bills, passed 330 acts and was in ses-
sion 109 days, while the Legislature
of 1914 considered 2825 bills, passed
956 acts and was in session 182 days.
A great many people will be surprised
to learn that the long sessions of the
present day and generation were
equalled in 1883 when the Great and
General Court sat for 206 days, con-
sidered 177 bills and passed 288 acts.
The only other session of equal length
was in 1811 when 2817 bills were con-
sidered and 914 acts passed. Since
1880 the average legislative session
has been approximately 165 days.

The committee calls attention to the
many special bills and acts passed in
each session due to many minor
causes and recommend that authority
be given the various departments and
commissions to take action for which
the Legislature wheels are now being
needlessly used. The chief matters
of this sort could readily be handled
by the Harbor and Land Commission,
the Highway Commission, the Metro-
politan Commissions and the Civil
Service Commission and save much
time of the Legislature. The report
calls attention to the fact that the
salaries of approximately
22,000 state employees are
now handled in four different
ways. By direct statute, under gen-
eral law, by authority of the Govern-
or and Council and by department
heads. It also notes the tremendous
growth in the pension idea and says
that the Commonwealth paid \$120,516
in this way in 1913 and that the state
and various municipalities paid a
grand total of \$721,264 in that year
to 1501 pensioners.

The committee recommends that all
business be filed with the Clerks of the
two branches before Dec. 15 and as-
signed by the Clerk to the appropriate
committees. The committee finds that
the present method of having each pe-
tition read in open session and re-
ferred into committee to 200 bills a
day, besides delaying the actual work
of the Legislature, with bills filed and
printed before the Legislature actually
convenes, committees could get to work
immediately. The number of matters
referred to the several committees
last year is tabulated and shows that
the Judiciary with 245 matters heads
the list. Public Service with 207, Cities
with 194, Legal Affairs with 131 and
Metropolitan Affairs with 130 being
next in order. To relieve these com-
mittees from some of this work, two
new committees are suggested, one on
"Courts and Practice" and one on "Pen-
sions and Salaries."

There is also a recommendation, new
in this Commonwealth, that commit-
tees be granted the right to pigeonhole
any bill by a unanimous vote, on the
theory that any bill with a grain of
merit, ought, at least to have one mem-
ber of the committee in favor of re-
porting it to the Legislature for action.
The committee back up this recom-
mendation with the rather remarkable
fact that in 1914 there were 1431 unan-
imous committee reports of leave to
withdraw and the mere reading of
these reports, to say nothing of the de-
bate which may have arisen on them,
required 16 legislative days.

The committee also calls attention
to the present method of conducting
committee hearings, largely at the
whim of the chairman, and suggests a
more uniform method of procedure, with time
alternately apportioned to advocates and op-
ponents of proposed legislation, instead
of the present plan of hearing everyone
first in favor, followed by those in op-
position.

The committee does not favor lim-
ited sessions and is opposed to a filing
fee on petitions and bills.

The report shows a most thor-
ough investigation of the whole subject and
the Legislature will act wisely in ac-
cording a large part of its conclu-
sions.

Another valuable report has just
been filed by a recess committee ap-
pointed to consider the problems of
city government. This committee in
general favors adopting the "home
rule" principle on all political mat-
ters, reserving to the legislature the
right to regulate such fundamental
matters as municipal finance.

The committee recommends that
cities who wish to change their form
of government be given authority to
choose one of the following four
plans.—First, a mayor and council of
9 members, elected at large for two
year terms, with absolute power of
appointment, removals and veto vest-
ed in the mayor. Second, a mayor
and city council of 15 members, of
whom one shall be elected from each
ward, and the remainder by the mayor
at large. The authority of the mayor
over appointments and removals to
be subject to confirmation by the
council. Third, a commission form
with five commissioners, one of whom
shall be elected mayor, for two years
each. Fourth,—the city manager plan
with a mayor and four councillors,
with power to elect a city manager.

The school committee under each
of these plans to consist of six mem-
bers, elected for three years each with
the mayor as the presiding officer.
Primary elections are abolished, pre-
ferential elections may be held, and
the voters granted the initiative and
referendum on city ordinances.

The city councils under all four
plans shall have power to consolidate,
re-arrange present city departments
and establish new ones.

Maximum salaries are fixed for the
different plans as follows: Under the
first and second plans, the mayor at
\$5,000 and the members of the city
council, \$500 each, under the third
plan, mayor at \$5000 and the other
commissioners \$4000 each and under
the fourth plan, mayor \$2,000 and
other commissioners \$500 each.

Only one plan can be submitted at
a time to the voters and must have a
petition signed by ten percent of the
registered vote. Any plan accepted
by a majority vote shall be in effect
for at least four years.

An elaborate and complicated plan
is proposed for preferential voting, in
which the voter has a first, second and
third choice of candidates for each of-
fice. If there is a majority vote under
the first choice column, such candi-
date or candidates is duly elected but
if there is no majority candidate, then
the second choice votes shall be added
to those of the second choice, and
counted as a whole, and if a majority
is still lacking, the third choice votes
shall be added to the first and second
choice votes. The new plan must be
accepted at a regular city election by
the voters and will be placed on the
ballot on petition of ten per cent of
the voters.

One of the interesting bills is that
filed by Wendell Phillips Thore, a
rather prominent Progressive, and
which calls for system of non-con-
tributory old age pensions, with an
old age pension fund. Mr. Thore
wants every person over 60 years of
age to receive a pension of \$30 per
month, if unmarried and \$20 each per
month for married couples, not as
charity, but as a "right of citizenship."
A fund of \$5,000 is established as a
nucleus and the proper authorities
may advertise for donations to be made
to add to this amount. It is rather
singular to see a proposed statute in-
clude a stump speech in favor of its
provisions, but Mr. Thore is not
bothered by any conventions, and
states in his bill that various in-
corporated homes in the state
have received donations of over
\$11,000,000 and the opening of
this proposed fund ought to stimulate
further gifts to the Commonwealth for
the same purpose. In addition Mr.
Thore proposes to give the tax com-
missioner drastic powers to collect
taxes and frankly states that the ob-
ject of this section is to get into the
treasury some \$55,000,000, of taxes
upon the five billions of "intangible
personality" now legally collectible,
but which has never been collected.
And "which, if collected, would easily
provide and furnish much more than
the sum necessary to provide for and
maintain" his proposed pension sys-
tem. Another section innocently
states that if there isn't money enough
received for this purpose, the Com-
monwealth shall raise the same from
general taxation. The state board of
charity is to be abolished, all the
almshouses in the state are to be
closed and sold, and the entire act is
to be "liberally administered."

Mr. Thore is willing to have the bill
submitted to a referendum at the next
state election.

There is apt to be some objection
raised to House bill 433 which pro-
hibits smoking upon "all common
roads, streets, sidewalks, piazzas, wait-
ing rooms, offices, halls, and all com-
mon conveniences of passengers," al-
tho especially designed smoking rooms
are exempt.

Advocates of military training in
our high schools will be interested in
a bill which will require the male
members of the senior class in every
public high school to receive at least
one hour of military instruction each
week.

J. C. Brimblecom.

YOUNG MUSICIANS' CLUB

The Young Musicians' Club held its
regular meeting on Saturday afternoon,
January 16th at the studio on Bowers
street, Newtonville.

An unusually enjoyable program was
arranged by Miss Helen Douglas, chair-
man of the program committee, and all
who participated rendered their pieces
in a manner which elicited hearty ap-
plause from the members and guests
of the Club.

Paderewski was the composer stud-
ied, and very interesting pieces were
read by Miss Rose Heiseln, Elsa G.
Haase, and Dorothy Eames.

Paderewski's Minuet and Cracovi-
enne Fantastique were played by Miss
Gertrude Barry and Miss Hazel Cun-
ningham. Each member of the Club
answered to roll-call with some infor-
mation concerning Paderewski. Includ-
ed in the program were piano selec-
tions by Raymond and Veda Leonard,
Mary Elizabeth Edmonds, Harriet Pat-
ney, Elsa G. Haase, Ruth Parlin, Je-
nnette Martin, Miss Hazel Cunningham,
Herbert Stevens and Miss Gertrude
Barry.

Eleanor Richmond and Herbert Ste-
vens had charge of the social hour
which followed the program.

Newtonville

—Mr. J. S. Wilson is building a new
bungalow on Brookside road, Newton-
ville.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hopkins have
moved into the Ripley house at 425
Newtonville avenue.

—Miss Mary Rolfe of Clyde street
has returned from a two weeks' visit
with friends in Portland, Me.

—Miss Ruth Johnson of Mt. Vernon
street has returned from a visit with
friends in Worcester, R. I.

—"Boys' Night" was observed by the
Clafin Club at the meeting on Wednes-
day evening. Captain Jack Crawford,
the most original, versatile and mag-
netic entertainer on the American plan-
form, who is known as "The Poet
Scott," entertained a large audience of
members and their guests.

—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Roope will
entertain the members of the Harvard
University Quartet at dinner this evening
at their residence on Birch Hill
road. Dr. Davidson, musical director
at Harvard, and Mr. Walter Kidder,
baritone of the Appleton Choir, will
also be among their guests. Following
the dinner there will be a musicale
from 8.30 until 10.30.

—Mrs. Fred E. Mann was the hostess
at a charming tea on Thursday after-
noon from 4 until 6, at her residence
on Harvard street. The occasion was
complimentary to Mrs. S. F. Ely of St.
Louis, who has recently come to reside
in this village. Mrs. John F. Casey
presided at the tea table and was as-
sisted in pouring by Mrs. Harley Lack-
ey, Mrs. Harry Green, and Miss Emily
Mann.

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GIVEN DIAMOND RING

Vice President Cox Honored By Street
Railway Employees

Vice-president and general man-
ager George M. Cox was greatly sur-
prised at the annual banquet of the
Suburban Railway Club on Wednes-
day evening in Dennison Hall, New-
tonville, when he was presented with
a handsome diamond ring. Mr. Cox
was called to Needham in the early
part of the evening and did not reach
the hall until after nine o'clock, where
he was greeted by over two hundred
members and guests. President Wil-
liam Hartigan made the presentation,
saying in part: "We have met here to-
night to offer you a testimonial of
respect, esteem and congratulations.
In view of the many kind things you
have done for the motormen, conduc-
tors and other employees we have
procured a reminder for you of the es-
teem in which you are held by those
who are serving with you and under
your kind and humane management.
May your whole life continue to be
as bright and clear as the gem which
is enclosed herein and may your every
act be as pure as the virgin gold
which encircles this stone. May your
life be as lustrous as its rays so that
it may be an example to the rising
generation. Accept then from your
employees, this treasured gift as a
token of our sincere respect."

Mr. Cox was also presented with a
handsome travelling bag.

Mr. Cox was touched by this action
and gift and expressed his thanks in
his usual eloquent manner. Mayor
Kearns of Waltham and President Joy
of the Old Timers Bowling League
also spoke.

An exhibition of boxing and club
swinging was then given by Natick
artists, Mr. Marson of Waltham sang,
Mr. Olsen played the piano and Messrs.
Fisher, Gillis and Barlow gave a dra-
matic sketch entitled, "Who Pays the
Bill?"

These officers were elected, presi-
dent, S. U. Dyer; Cornelius Shay, vice-presi-
dent; John A. Campbell, secretary-
treasurer; and M. S. Drew, J. J. Lacey,
G. M. Cox and P. F. Drew, directors.

The committee in charge of the af-
fair consisted of Messrs. William
Hartigan, M. S. Drew, J. Duffy, J.
Peeney, J. Alexander, S. U. Dyer and
John Campbell.

Waban

—Mrs. John H. Wood entertained
with bridge at her home on Waban
avenue on Wednesday afternoon.

—Mr. Archibald M. Stone of Wood-
ward street has been confined to the
house with gripe for several days.

—Dr. and Mrs. Andrews of Plain-
field street are receiving congratulations
on the birth of a baby daughter.

—At the Union Church Sunday
morning at 10.30 the pastor will
preach on "The Missionary and the
War."

—The second series of Cook-Will-
iams assemblies was started Tuesday
evening with a jolly party present in
Knollwood Hall.

—Rev. James C. Sharp, pastor of the
Church of the Good Shepherd com-
pletes his tenth year of service in
Waban with the services of next Sun-
day.

—The Boys' Club of the Church of
the Good Shepherd will meet at the
home of Mr. William P. Brown, Wind-
road, Saturday evening, when
"Waban Twenty Years Ago," will again
be the topic, this time going more into
detail.

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several Newton ladies to Washington
during Easter week, absolutely with-
out expense to them, is arousing con-
siderable interest. Full particulars
can be obtained at this office. In-
quire for Mr. Curtis.

—Miss Mary Hagerty of Elliot street
is ill at the Carney Hospital.

—Mr. Andrew Braceland is seriously
ill at his home on Elliot street.

—Mr. William O'Donnell of Mechanic
street is seriously ill with pneumonia.

—Mrs. Hershey of Nova Scotia is
visiting her sister, Miss Van Tassel
of Elliot street.

—Mrs. Nettie Noyes of Portland, Me.,
is the guest of Mrs. Augusta Little-
hale of Cliff road.

—Mr. and Mrs. M. Hart of Bacon
place leave on Thursday for a winter's
stay at Pittsfield, Mass.

—Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Billings of
Linden street are receiving congrat-
ulations on the birth of a son.

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—At the Methodist Episcopal Church
Sunday, Rev. J. T. Carlson will
preach at 10.45 A. M. on "The Signs
of the Master of Jesus," in the eve-
ning at 7 o'clock, Mr. Darus Cobb of
Boylston street will occupy the pulpit
assisted by Mr. Crathern of Worces-
ter. Mr. Cobb will give the story and
interpretation of his noted painting,
"The Master." There will be special
music. The Second Baptist Church
with their pastor, Rev. J. Marcus Kes-
ter will attend this service.

—Alta Condon, wife of Philip
Condon, of 1101 Chestnut street, died
at the Newton Hospital Friday after-
noon, after a short illness. Mrs. Con-
don was 51 years of age and was born
at County Monaghan, Ireland, and
has been a resident of this village for
18 years. She leaves a husband, three
sons and three daughters. The funeral
services were held Monday morning
at St. Mary's Church, the Rev. T. J.
Danahy officiating. Burial was at St.
Mary's Cemetery, Needham.

—The engagements of two well-
known Waban young people have been
recently announced, one being Miss
Marjorie Rice, daughter of Mr. and
Mrs. Oscar R. Rice of Waban avenue
and Mr. Perley F. Ayer of Portland,
Maine, and the other, Miss Ida Leona
Beane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Charles Everett Beane of Auburndale
to Mr. Esmond Sargent Rice of Waban
avenue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar
Rice. Miss Rice is a graduate of New-
ton High and Framingham Normal
Schools, and Mr. Rice of Newton High,
baseball, hockey and golf teams.

West Newton

—Rev. Mr. Jaynes will speak to
young people at the Unitarian church
next Sunday evening.

—Mr. Charles Cuniff, the popular
assistant at the post office, had an ad-
dition to his family recently.

—Miss Rachel Schwartz of Auburn
terrace is confined to her home with
a severe attack of tonsillitis.

—Mr. James McKissock and family
formerly of Sewall street, will occupy
their new house at Lexington about
March 1st.

—At the meeting of the Women's
Alliance next Wednesday afternoon in
the Unitarian parish house, Rev. C.
W. Wendle will make the address.

—The first rehearsal for the Old
Folks concert to be given by the young
people of the Lincoln Park Baptist
Church in February, will occur next
Tuesday in the church.

—Mrs. Louisa E. Dewing, the
widow of Rev. Charles S. Dewing, D.D.,
and the mother of Mrs. H. F. Gibbs of
Oris street, died on Wednesday at her
home in Brookline, at the age of 65
years.

—The Men's Club of West Newton
will meet next Wednesday night in
the Congregational Church, dinner
being served at 6.30 o'clock. Mr. Wal-
lace B. Donham of Newton Centre will
speak on the Tax Situation in Massa-
chusetts.

—The Lincoln Park Baptist Church
held its annual meeting and roll call
Wednesday evening. The annual sup-
per preceded the business meeting in
which about 150 participated. Deacon
Samuel N. Waters was elected mod-
erator. Mr. Arthur M. Teulon was re-
elected clerk of the church, Mr. Fred
L. Smith was re-elected treasurer.

The executive committee for the
 ensuing year is composed of Samuel N.
Waters, Samuel P. Putnam, Henry K.
Burris, James A. Romkey, Fred S.
Smith, Arthur M. Teulon and Charles
E. Kimball. The prudential commit-
tee: pastor, deacons, clerk and Charles
T. Harrington, Mara A. Corlis, Mrs.
Ellen M. Leland, Miss Minerva E. Le-
land, Mrs. Alfred L. Barbour, Mrs.
Olive J. Schwartz, Miss Addie L. Soc-
comb and Mrs. J. J. Sartwell; treas-
urer of benevolences, Mr. E. Payson
Upham, Jr. The minor committees
remain same as last year. The affairs
of the church were shown to be in a
flourishing condition, and all were
much cheered by the reports of the
several committees.

—The West Newton W. C. T. U. met
Monday evening with Mrs. Adelia Ear-
nest of Washington street, Newton.
A letter of thanks from the Seaman's
Friend Society for twenty comfort
bags was received and plans completed
for sending more. Franchise for Wo-
men was the topic of the evening and
the beneficial results in California,
even the first year, in helping laws
which all the former indirect influence
of woman had been unable to pro-
cure, proves its value. Music was fur-
nished by the Misses Earnest. A re-
port by the Flower Mission Superin-
tendent, Mrs. Jennet Hoar, gave the
amount and articles contributed at
Christmas to her work in Boston for
the shut ins, and an appeal was made
for the necessary funds for the year.

—The annual meeting of the Fed-
eral Trust Company this week Mr.
Samuel Hobbs of Temple street was
re-elected a director.

—Mrs. E. Payson Upham of Webster
street, who has been visiting her par-
ents in Philadelphia the past month,
returned home this week.

—Mr. Robert Baldwin '17, has been
appointed a member of committee of
the Student Council of Harvard to re-
ceive visiting track teams.

—Box 314 was sent in Tuesday af-
ternoon for a fire caused by a stove
in the house occupied by B. A. Bu-
chanan on Cherry street.

—At the annual meeting of the New
England Shoe and Leather Associa-
tion on Wednesday, Mr. Charles P.
Hall was chosen a director.

—Governor Walsh has nominated
Dr. N. Emmons Paine of this village
to be trustee of the Westboro State
Hospital. Dr. Paine is a graduate of
the B. U. Medical school and for eight
years was superintendent of the West-
boro hospital.

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—Alfred Danforth, an old resident
of this city, died last Saturday at
his home on Kempton place at the age
of 66 yrs. He is survived by one daugh-
ter, Miss Nina Danforth who made her
home with him. Funeral services
were held on Tuesday and the inter-
ment was in Lowell.

—The West Newton Music Club
gave an enjoyable program Monday
evening at the residence of Mrs. Ar-
thur Howland on Prince street in
charge of Miss Kempton and Miss
Puffer. The Julia Pickard Trio, con-
sisting of Miss Pickard, violin, Miss
Alma La Palme, cello and Miss Isa-
belle W. Puffer, piano, rendered the
Mozart trio in G major, Miss Olivia
Cate and Mrs. Arthur Howland played
on the piano, there were songs by
Miss Berenice Keach and Massanet's
Elegie by Miss Keach, soprano, Miss
Rosalind Kempton, violin, and Miss
Lucy Clark Allen, piano.

—An interesting program has been
arranged to celebrate the thirtieth
anniversary of Rev. Mr. Jaynes minis-
try of the Unitarian Church. The ex-
ercises will be held in the church on
Thursday evening and Rev. George
H. Parkinson of the Newton Centre
Methodist church, Rev. John Goddard
of the New Church, Newtonville, Rev.
Harrie R. Chamberlin of Immanuel
Baptist Church, Newton, Rev. Rufus
H. Dix of the Universalist Church,
Newtonville, Rev. J. Edgar Park of
the Congregational Church, West New-
ton, Rev. Dr. Laurens MacLure of
Grace Church, Rev. Alton H. Robinson
of the Newton Centre Unitarian
Church will bring the greetings of
other churches and Senator John W.
Weeks will come on from Washing-
ton to make an address. The Arling-
ton street quartet will sing.

Upper Falls

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is ill at the Carney Hospital.

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of Elliot street.



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WANTED

SITUATIONS WANTED: Laundry and chamberwork, also cooking and general and second work. B. Peters, 405 Cherry street, West Newton. Tel. 1124 R. Newton West.

WANTED: Day work, by young woman; sweeping, etc. Experienced in the most particular house work. Address H., Graphic Office.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Old-fashioned Highboy, perfect condition. Fifty dollars cash. To settle estate. Mrs. M. E. Easton, 1172 River St., Hyde Park, Mass.

SLEIGH FOR SALE—Two-seated family sleigh, well upholstered, has pole. Cost \$150, used but little. Price complete, \$25.00. Address R, care of Graphic.

LOST AND FOUND

Lost: In Watertown, on Tuesday, a female Boston terrier, brown, with white stripe on nose and breast. Reward offered for return to 11 Capitol street, Watertown.

WANTED: Dressmaker would like more work by the day. \$2.50 a day and car fares. Address F, Graphic Office.

LOST: Pearl Earring, on West Newton Hill, Thursday evening, Jan. 14. Liberal reward for its return to Graphic Office.

LOST: On Friday last, either on Auburndale or Watertown car, about 12 o'clock, a gold bracelet with diamonds and two rubies. Please return to 46 Berkeley street, West Newton. Reward.

TO LET

TO LET: Ground floor apartment of 4 large rooms, pantry, good condition; gas, range, bath, furnace, set, tubs, etc. Rent \$16. Apply 62 Morse street, Newton.

TO LET: 25 Morse street. Tenement of 5 rooms and bath. Apply to W. H. Keith, 135 Watertown street, Watertown.

TO RENT—Private garage. Apply on property, 30 Groveland St., Auburndale.

TO LET—Large front room on ground floor. Breakfast served if desired. Apply 47 Washington Park, Newtonville.

TO LET AT WEST NEWTON

Just vacated, lower apartment, five rooms, water, gas, furnace, near cars. Ideal for man and wife looking for comfortable home at low rent. (\$17.00) Call at 797 Washington street, Newtonville.

TO LET: Upper apartment, two family house; seven rooms, gas and electricity, coal and gas ranges, piazzas, plenty of room and very convenient to cars. Rent \$26.00. 42 Eddy St., Newtonville. Phone Cambridge 3129-4.

Lost Savings Bank Books

Savings Bank Books as listed below are lost and application has been made for payments of the accounts in accordance with Chap. 590, of the Acts of 1908 and amendments. Newton Savings Bank Book No. 9571

FORM OF EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF INSOLVENT ESTATE.

Estate of Mortimer H. Clarke late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate, represented insolvent.

THE Probate Court for said County will receive and examine all claims of creditors against the estate of said Mortimer H. Clarke and notice is hereby given that six months from the eighteenth day of January A. D. 1915, are allowed to creditors to present and prove their claims against said estate, and that the Court will receive and examine the claims of creditors at Cambridge, on the twenty-third day of February 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and at Cambridge, on the twenty-third day of March 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon.

GEORGIANA K. CLARKE, Executrix
Care of
Carroll & Flye, Attys.,
18 Tremont Street,
Boston, Mass.

Newton

—When you want a plumber call B. M. Thomas, 272 Newton North. adv.
—The Eliot Guild held a sewing meeting Tuesday afternoon at the residence of the Miss Kimball on Elm-hurst road.

—Mrs. Arthur Herbert Bailey of Woodford, Maine, is visiting her son, Mr. George Herbert Bailey of Hunnewell Hill.

—The alarm from box 15 about noon on Wednesday for a small fire in the house occupied by Timothy Hurley in Pearl court.

—Prof. H. K. Rowe will speak next Sunday noon at Eliot Church on "Congregationalism, the Religion of Democracy."

—Mr. Frank W. Stearns of Park street was re-elected a director of the American Trust Co. at the recent annual election.

—Have your Furniture reupholstered. Mattresses, window shades and draperies made by M. H. Haase, 427 Centre street.

—At the recent annual meeting of the Commonwealth Country Club, Mr. Sydney Harwood of Waverley avenue was elected a director.

—At the annual meeting Wednesday of the New England Shoe & Leather Association, Mr. Edwin P. Brown was chosen a director.

—The North East District Committee held a meeting on Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. Henry Urquhart on Washington street.

—The Queen Esther Circle of the Newton Methodist Church held a meeting Tuesday evening at the residence of Miss Carrie Hutchinson on Kenrick street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Bridges of Fairmont avenue have the sympathy of their friends in the death yesterday of their infant son, John Morrison Bridges.

—The next meeting of the Christian Forum will be held Sunday evening, February 14th, at Eliot Church.

—Mr. Lee Franklin Hammer of New York will speak on "The Basis of Public Concern in Recreation."

—Mrs. Harriet M. Tetlow, the widow of George W. Tetlow died Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry D. Smith on Gramere street, at the age of 70 years. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 12 o'clock at 11 Gramere street.

—At 7.30 Tuesday evening Mr. Charles Swain Thomas, head of the English department of the classical high school, will speak in the Channing Church on "Morality in the Public Schools." The public especially the fathers and mothers of the high school pupils are cordially invited to attend.

—The dinner of the Men's Club of the Newton Methodist Church, which was announced for the week, has been postponed and will take place Tuesday evening, January 26th, at 6.30.

—Mrs. Sebastian Jordan, wife of Lieutenant Jordan of the German Artillery Corps, will deliver an address on Germany and the Present War, at the ladies of the church are invited to hear the address.

—A largely attended meeting of the Church and Home Department of the Woman's Association, was held Tuesday morning in Eliot Chapel. There was a sewing meeting at 9.30, and at 11 o'clock Miss Kaye Boyd George gave an interesting address on "The Work of the Young Woman's Christian Association." At the close of the address, Miss Mildred Taylor entertained the company with several pleasing piano solos. A basket luncheon was served at noon.

—The annual parish meeting of Grace Church was held Monday evening in the parish hall and there was a very good attendance. The following officers were elected for the year 1915: Mr. Edward H. Cutler, senior warden; Mr. Charles E. Riley, junior warden; Mr. Edward H. Cutler, clerk; and Mr. Welles E. Holmes, treasurer. The following vestrymen were appointed: Messrs. John H. Sellman, Sydney Harwood, Percy N. Keavay, William E. Jones, Frank M. Sheldon, J. Harris Aubin, Charles L. Harrison, Curtis Nye Smith and Charles F. Painter.

THE NAME OF MOTHER

How many tender and beautiful and precious associations are linked with the name of "mother!" It is one of the sweetest names on earth.

No other friend, however dear, can hold the same place in one's heart. Though this is not brought to one's full realization until the loved one has passed out of earthly home into the home rest of perfect rest and bliss, which God has prepared for those who love and obey Him.

And yet, though the name of "mother" is so dear to most of us, there are many who seldom speak the name, but use the word, "mama," instead. Even after one has passed from childhood into mature and middle life. To us who have learned to appreciate the word mother, it signifies protection, compassion, patient endurance, and self-forgetting love that never grows weary, but survives all of life's hardships and enters into the eternal years. There are many pet names used by young people, such as "mama," "mommie," "motherie," and others. These might be called "sunshine names" for the bright and clear days; but when clouds darken one's life, or long years of separation come, then no other human name is so dear as "mother."

A Captain in the Civil War returned to his friends on a short furlough, and after greeting their dear ones at the door, he asked, "Where is mother?" She did not know of his arrival until he entered the house. As soon as he caught sight of her dear face he hastened to greet her, but all he could say, as he felt her arms around his neck, was, "Oh, mother, mother!" That was enough—no other words were needed. The pent up longings of weary days and nights, and months of army life all found utterance in that sweet name, and were forgotten with the mother-arms around him. The writer of this was a witness of that scene, and, though only a child, it has never faded from memory.

With its remembrance comes the thought of that other reunion in the Father's home above.

The words of the Captain with the mother-arms around one, will fill one's soul with joy as the earth life fades away.

S. EVELYN THOMPSON.

Newton

—Dutch clip for children. Fell Bros., Washington St., opp. Bank adv.
—Mr. Mason of the B. & A. Railroad is having a house built on Bellevue street.

—Mr. John Murphy of Oakland street is recovering from an illness with pneumonia.

—Mrs. Frank B. Converse of Park street is visiting her sister, Miss Lee, at Royalston, Mass.

—Mr. Frank Lee Converse of Park street has been entertaining Mr. Edward Davis of New York.

—Miss Henrietta Fredericks of Park avenue is entertaining Miss Helen Kintz of Lockhaven, Pa.

—Miss Frances Morey, formerly of Hunnewell Hill left last week on a visit to her parents at Orinco, Va.

—Mr. and Mrs. Newton Stanley of Jefferson street will move Monday into the Brackett house at 16 Baldwin street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Elliott of Washington street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

—Mrs. Francis Edgar Stanley gave the third in a series of musicales on Sunday afternoon at her residence on Centre street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Franklin W. Ganse of Hunnewell avenue are entertaining their niece, Miss Elizabeth Howe of Princeton, N. J.

—Next Tuesday afternoon Channing Sewing Circle will meet in the church parlors. Supper will be served at 6.30 under the direction of Mrs. Fred W. Stone.

—Mr. Albion P. Huntress, an old-time Bostonian, and the father of Hon. Franklin E. Huntress of Shorncliffe road, died yesterday at his home in Somerville at the age of 75 years.

—Middlesex Court, No. 60, Catholic Order of Foresters, are rehearsing for a play, "Cranberry Corners," to be given Feb. 15 and 16 in Players Hall.

—The meeting of the Men's Club of Grace Church will take place Monday evening, at 8.15 in the parish house. Mr. James A. Richardson, former First Sergeant in the United States Army, will speak on "Thirty-five Years' Experience," which will include his service in the Philippines and Cuba under General Custer.

—A musical event of unusual interest will be the concert which will be given under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society on Wednesday evening in the Immanuel Baptist Church. An excellent program will be presented by The Pilgrim Male Quartet, which will be assisted by Robert Fitzgerald, 1st tenor; Everett S. Glines, 2nd tenor; Percy F. Baker, baritone, and William Gustafson, bass. Mr. Glines and Mr. Gustafson are well known to Newton audiences, having sung at Eliot Church two years ago, and this will be the first appearance of the Quartet in concert in Newton.

—The quartet will be assisted by Miss Erdine Cowlishaw, reader.

—Rev. Abraham M. Ribbany, minister of the Church of the Disciples of Boston, will preach in Channing Church next Sunday evening at 7.30.

—Mr. Ribbany, a Syrian by birth, has been attracting much attention thru his autobiography, "A Far Journey," which was first published in the Atlantic Monthly, and now issued in book form. Since his arrival in New York with nine cents he has through native ability worked himself up to his present position, the successor of James Freeman Clarke and Dr. Charles G. Ames. It is an unusual opportunity which the Newton people have of hearing him and it is hoped that many will avail themselves of it. There will also be special music.

Newtonville

—Mr. Putnam of West Newton has taken the house at 26 Walnut place and will occupy it about Feb. 15.

—The Boynton Lodge of Odd Ladies will hold a whist party Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 in Dennison hall.

—The grocery stock and fixtures of the Harcourt Market were sold at public auction this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ellsworth Gibson, Jr., of Gibson, Colorado, are spending the winter season in Denver.

—The Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's Church held a sewing meeting Monday afternoon in the choir rooms.

—The rite of Confirmation will be administered by Bishop Lawrence on Sunday morning, February 7th, at St. John's Church.

—Miss Marie Bartlett of Madison avenue read Monday evening at the supper and entertainment at the Cataumet Methodist Church.

—A dramatic entertainment will be given Friday evening in the New Church parlors under the direction of Mr. Prescott H. Wellman.

—Mrs. Edwin C. Wilcox entertained at bridge on Wednesday afternoon at her residence on Otis street. Nine tables were arranged and the game was auction.

—Virginia Brown, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albion C. Brown, celebrated her third birthday on Friday entertaining a party of friends at the Highland Villa.

—The Universalist Church Quartet composed of Miss Olive Burrisson, soprano, Miss Marie Sladen, contralto, Mr. Axel Collins, tenor, and Mr. Fred Russell, bass, will furnish the music at the Sunday evening service at the Lincoln Park Baptist Church.

—At the annual parish meeting of St. John's Church which was held Monday evening at the Parish Church the following officers were re-elected for the ensuing year: Mr. Frank T. Benner, senior warden; Mr. Charles F. Avery, junior warden; Mr. Willard C. Warren, treasurer. Also Messrs. Enoch C. Adams, Marcus Morton, Edward P. Hatch and Charles W. Leonard, vestrymen.

—A Colonial Sale under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's Church will be held Friday, February 5th, at the Newton Club. Members of the parish and their friends are urged to make every effort to make it a success both socially and financially; there will be a Fancy table, Household, Food, Flower and Tea table. The sale will open at 11 A. M. and will close with an entertainment and dance in the evening. The proceeds will be for the parish house fund of St. John's Church.

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BOUND FOR WASHINGTON

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be given all present subscribers and if a payment of two dollars is made to the candidates, or at the office. New subscriptions double the vote. Prepayments count as well as arrears, and if the payment is made at the office the votes should be asked for at the time that payment is made. Subscribers can assist the candidates by calling at the office, or by paying the candidate for the advance year, thereby giving her the votes.

Entrants for trip honors who desire to make a try for a place in the Travel Club and do not live in any of the districts as already given will enter from the district nearer to the residence or from the business address.

The nominations to date are as follows,—each candidate starting with the complimentary vote of 5000:—

District One—Newton

ONE FREE TRIP

NAME	VOTES
Cora Snow,	
299 Centre Street	5000
Caroline Lowe,	
24 Channing Street	5000
Ethel Craig,	
342 Centre Street	5000
Marjorie Webster,	
337 Washington Street	5000
Elizabeth Horsfall,	
200 Church Street	5000
Amy Adams,	
5 Jefferson Street	5000
Lillian McDonald,	
30 Thornton Street	5000
Marguerite Collins,	
51 Bennington Street	5000
Mrs. Lilla Bower,	
11 Orchard Street	5000
Josephine Ringrose,	
33 Emerson Street	5000
Helen Mead,	
396 Centre Street	5000
Frances M. Prescott,	
200 Church Street	5000
Mary Ganse,	
Hunnewell Avenue	5000
Janet Magoly,	
Eldredge Street	5000

District Two—Newtonville and Nonantum

ONE FREE TRIP

NAME	VOTES
Evelyn Hammond,	
Walker Street	5000
Marie Bartlett,	
101 Madison Ave.	5000
Grace Brown,	
939 Washington Street....	5000
Grace Warner,	
Washington Street	5000
Grace Clark,	
195 Austin Street	5000
Mrs. H. G. Hatchell,	
821 Washington Street....	5000
Mary Sladen,	
83 Lowell Avenue	5000
Grace Somers,	
128 Lowell Avenue	5000
Bessie Hartshorn,	
318 Cabot Street	5000
Marguerite Brant,	
Oakwood Road	5000
Mrs. Paul R. Knight,	
34 Austin Street	5000
Dorothy Hamilton,	
403 Walnut Street	5000
Agnes Brady,	
18 Gay Street	5000
Ruth Johnson,	
Mt. Vernon Street	5000
Gertrude Strout,	
171 Lowell Avenue	5000
Catherine Walton,	
79 Linwood Avenue	5000
Katherine Cranitch,	
22 Broadway	5000
Effie Terrio,	
267 Pearl Street	5000

District Three—West Newton, Auburndale and Lower Falls

ONE FREE TRIP

NAME	VOTES
Maud Withington,	
2007 Commonwealth Avenue	5000
Lulu Glazier,	
37 River Street	5000
May A. Clancy,	
109 River Street	5000
May Hunter,	
Putnam Street	5000
Mary Barber,	
22 Perkins Street	5000
Martha Brown,	
21 Columbus Place	5000
May White,	
67 Cherry Place	5000
Edna Bryson,	
Cherry Place	5000
Mrs. M. Millie Beardsley,	
Crescent Street	5000
Jennie Martin,	
Auburndale	5000
Edith Jacobs,	
215 Auburndale Avenue ..	5000
Luce Turner,	
42 Maple	5000
Laura Capstick,	
Aspen Avenue	5000

District Four—Newton Centre, Thompsonville and Chestnut Hill

ONE FREE TRIP

NAME	VOTES
May Foley,	
Newton Centre	5000

Maria A. Wood,		5000
Newton Centre		5000
Adelaide S. Thompson,		5000
Newton Centre		5000
Eleanor J. Foley,		5000
Newton Centre		5000
Sarah Hurst,		5000
Newton Centre		5000
Grace Macomber,		5000
219 Homer Street		5000
Mary McDonald,		5000
37 Pelham Street		5000
Ada S. Moore,		5000
51 Clinton Place		5000
Sophia J. Muldoon,		5000
266 Langley Road		5000
Agnes Noyes,		5000
58 Everett Street		5000

Jane Locke,		5000
35 Oak Street (U. F.)		5000
Ruby Viets,		5000
14 Delmore Road		5000

BONUS VOTE FOR HUSTLERS

In order to stimulate the vote-getting spirit and to permit the contestants to secure more votes while the field is open, a bonus vote will be given as follows, in addition to the regular vote issued:

Clubs of five annual SUBSCRIBERS will give the candidate 5000 votes extra.

This bonus is offered for one week Jan. 28th, and will terminate next Thursday evening.

Candidates may secure as many clubs as desired on this special offer. Get the new ones.

I. O. O. F. INSTALLATION

At the regular meeting of the Garden City Encampment, No. 62 I. O. O. F., the following officers were installed by District Deputy Grand Master Thomas H. Richardson and suite: Chief Patriarch, R. L. Hamilton; H. P. J. W. Knudson; S. W. A. J. MacDougal; R. S. H. W. Forbes; F. S. E. B. Clark; T. A. F. A. G. Libby; J. W. F. E. Perkins; Guide, Louis N. L. Plan; 1st W. J. T. Wescott; 2nd W. H. F. Skelton; 3rd W. J. Lucas.

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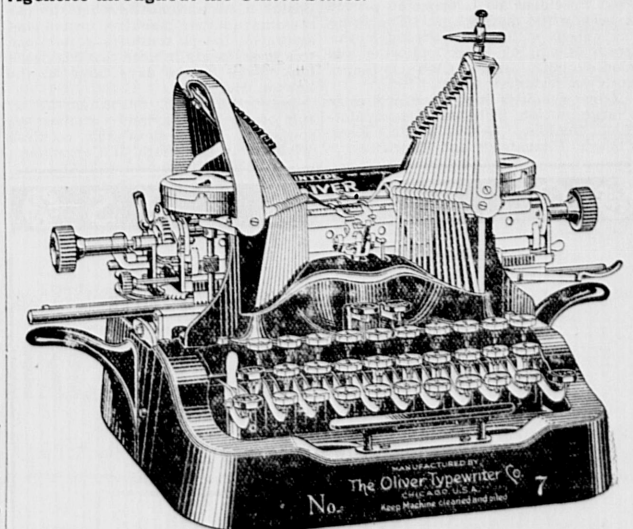
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DEATH OF MR. MELVIN

Mr. James C. Melvin, a former well known resident of this village, died on Tuesday at his apartments in the Copley Square hotel, Boston, which has been his home for some years.

Mr. Melvin was born in Concord, April 17, 1848, a descendant of Revolutionary stock. One of his ancestors rang the alarm bell in that town on the morning of April 19, 1775. Mr. Melvin was one of the youngest members of the Grand Army, having served in the Civil War with three brothers, all of whom gave their lives to their country.

He began his business career at the age of fifteen years in a store of his native town at a salary of \$35 a year. At the age of twenty-two he became bookkeeper in the storage business of A. C. Lombard at 67 Clinton street. In 1873, upon the recommendation of Ralph Waldo Emerson and others, Mr. Melvin entered the employ of Josiah and Edmund Quincy and had sole charge of what was then known as the Clinton Street Warehouse, where the Clinton Market is now situated. It was through his exertion that Clinton Market was established in 1877. In 1878 he was appointed managing trustee of the Quincy estate, a position he held at the time of his death.

Mr. Melvin was appointed agent of the Mercantile Market in 1878 and in 1881 he organized the Quincy Market Cold Storage Company, of which he was the treasurer and manager until the company was sold to a syndicate in 1903. At one time he was a director in sixteen corporations, including the G. H. Hammond Company, the Hammond Packing Company, of both of which he was president for several years; the Mexican Central Railroad, the Massachusetts Loan & Trust Company, the Mercantile Wharf Corporation, and the Clinton Market Company, serving as treasurer of the last two named corporations. He was also for many years vice-president of the Fourth National Bank.

He was a Unitarian and had contributed liberally to the churches of that denomination in his native town, also in West Newton and Boston. For the past few years he had been an active and influential member of the South Congregational Society, Boston. He was also a liberal contributor to various charities in Newton and Boston. In 1883 he married Clara Wilbur, daughter of the late George B. Wilbur of Newton, who survives him. Their only son died in infancy.

One of Mr. Melvin's most notable and permanent works was the memorial monument which he erected in 1908 at Old Sleepy Hollow Cemetery in Concord, as a tribute to his three brothers who lost their lives in the Civil War, in which he served along side of them.

LODGES

At the meeting of Newton Council, K. of C., Tuesday evening, in Newtonville, Rev. Daniel C. Roiland, pastor of the Sacred Heart Church, Newtonville, delivered an address on the subject, "Labor," and P. A. Murray of Newton related his experience in the war zone in Germany. The sum of \$25 was contributed to the Belgian relief fund.

A deputation from Waltham R. A. Chapter led by George H. Dale, MEHP, responded to an invitation from Newton Chapter and appeared Tuesday night for a fraternal visit. The Capitular Masons of the city, "Labor," and P. A. Murray of Newton related his experience in the war zone in Germany. The sum of \$25 was contributed to the Belgian relief fund.

The visitors were entertained at supper, then the formal welcome was extended by High Priest William H. Colgan, Past High Priests George G. Davidson, C. Arthur Boutelle and George A. Miller, with these officers: Ernest C. Fisher, EK; Charles E. A. Ross, ES; Lewis E. Binney (PH); T. A. Sidney, ES; William E. Far- A. Buchanan, PS; Frank J. Chapin, M. 3d V; J. E. Ross M. 2d V; Walter A. Brooks, M. 1st V; Edwin F. Ripley, SS; Joseph H. Libbey, JS.

At the close of the reception the officers of the visiting chapter assumed the stations and conducted an explanation. High Priest Dale expressed the thanks of himself and associates for the hospitality shown to them. In Temple Hall the guests were entertained by specialties, and in their honor was sung a parody on "Tipperary" that sounded the praises of the Waltham members of the rite.

WEISER—ROBINSON

The wedding of Miss Helen Frances Robinson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Barnes Robinson and Mr. Augustus Weiser of York, Pa., took place on Saturday, January 9th at the home of the bride on Kendall terrace, Newton, the ceremony being performed at six o'clock by Rev. H. Grant Parsons. The bride was shown in white satin charmuse with shadow lace, with her veil made in a cap with a wreath of lilies of the valley. She carried a shower bouquet of brides roses and was given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Frank H. Robinson of New York City.

An informal reception followed, the house being attractively decorated with palms and cut flowers.

After a wedding trip to Atlantic City, Mr. and Mrs. Weiser will reside at 246 E. King street, York, Pa., where they will be at home on the second and fourth Wednesdays in March.

VALUE OF MILK

Every housekeeper in these days when the cry of hard times is heard so often is interested, naturally, in making the most of her household expense money; that is, getting the most nutrition for her family for the sum at her command. Milk as a food is very often nearly, if not entirely neglected, in spite of its high nutritive value. The value of milk will be fully explained at the lecture arranged by the Educational Committee of the Boys' Division of the Y. M. C. A., to be held Saturday, Jan. 23, at the Y. M. C. A. Hall at 8 o'clock. The lecture will be given by a representative of H. P. Hood and Sons and is illustrated throughout with lantern slides. Everyone interested in household efficiency is invited to come. All seats are free and this lecture is sure to be of great interest.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Boys' Division

"Stunt Night" was celebrated last Saturday night by the Bible Clubs. The following was the program:

Selection—"Camp Meeting Band," Boys' Orchestra.

"The Sultan's Army," by the Sulu Club, Chase Kepner, Leader.

"Modern Science," by the T. S. C., F. D. Blanchard, Leader.

"Pyramids," by the L. D. H. Club, C. E. Ellison, Leader.

"Gymnasium Schottische," by the T. B. C., R. W. Young, Leader.

"District School," by the K. S. K. Club, T. H. Morton, Leader.

The first number was very clever and especially unique, Chase Kepner, as the Sultan, made a hit. The pyramids formed by Mr. Ellison's boys showed careful preparation, and "Ted" Morton as school teacher in the final act was greatly appreciated by the younger members of the audience. Nearly two hundred were present.

Last Friday night, Newton beat Cambridge in a game met at Newton by the score of six to four. Ernest Woodworth surprised everybody by his form in bowling and Charlie Wansker showed off his checkering qualities in great style. At Boston last Monday, however, Newton was not so lucky, losing by the same score she won by at the previous meet. Lawrence Trowbridge and George Farmer in bowling and Bob Cunningham in billiards were Newton's stars.

The second lecture of the series arranged by the Educational Committee will be held Saturday, the twenty-third, at eight o'clock. More extended notice of this is given elsewhere in the paper.

The Annual Father and Son Banquet will occur this year on Saturday the thirtieth. The Ladies' Auxiliary will serve the supper and we expect to have an especially fine speaker.

The first Greater Boston Athletic Meet will be held at Boston on Jan. 26th. These are held each month at the various associations of the Greater Boston League. Newton's turn will come in March.

Last Tuesday John Finelli of Boston University addressed the K. S. G. Club on "Getting on the Right Road." Next Tuesday Mr. H. W. Bascom, the General Secretary, will speak on "Keep a Goin'."

PLEASANT SURPRISE

A very enjoyable social affair took place on Saturday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice E. Beardsley on Crescent street, Auburn-dale.

The occasion was an informal celebration of Mrs. Beardsley's birthday, by about thirty of her friends and relatives.

Mrs. Beardsley was completely taken by surprise, her friends having arranged everything so cleverly that she never suspected anything until they began to arrive.

They decorated the dining-room most attractively, the table being done in a color scheme of white and silver. In the center was a huge birthday cake around which were arranged little silver horse shoes, and other emblems of good luck for the happy hostess.

The place cards were tiny white boats with the names of the guests printed on the sails.

After supper there were toasts and original poems, written especially for the occasion, were read. Mrs. Eva Fogwill was the toast-mistress, and read an original poem, which was very clever and witty.

Mrs. Beardsley was showered with gifts, congratulations and good wishes; she was presented with a beautiful watch by members of her family and a large bouquet of American Beauty roses.

The evening's entertainment closed with a varied program of musical selections and recitations.

It was a very happy occasion and friends were present from Boston, Somerville, Waltham, West Newton and Auburndale.

MANY NEWTON MEN

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Commonwealth Trust Co., Boston, held Wednesday, the retiring directors were re-elected, and Rene E. Paine was added to the board.

The retiring officers were re-elected and Waldron H. Rand, Jr., president of the Security Safe Deposit Company, was elected vice-president and secretary.

Among the officers and directors of this Trust Company, it is interesting to note the number of Newton citizens. The President, Mr. George S. Munford, has been for years a resident of Newton, 22 Essex road, Chestnut Hill; W. H. Rand, Jr., Vice-President and Secretary, and junior member of the law firm of Stewart and Rand, resides at 18 Paul street, Newton Centre; S. W. Holmes, Vice-President, who for four years member of the Board of Aldermen, lives at 155 Hunnewell avenue, Newton; Arthur B. Smith, Assistant Treasurer, lives at 97 Berkeley street, West Newton; and Charles E. Valentine, Assistant Treasurer, recently elected a member of the School Committee, lives at 34 Prairie avenue, Auburndale. Among the directors from this city are, Arthur T. Bradlee, 314 Hammond street, Chestnut Hill; Charles A. Locke, 355 Hammond street, Chestnut Hill; James L. Richards, 47 Kirkstall road, Newtonville; Endicott P. Saltonstall, 245 Chestnut Hill road, Chestnut Hill; Edwin S. Webster, 307 Hammond street, Chestnut Hill; and Hon. Edward B. Wilson, 304 Otis street, West Newton.

REAL ESTATE

Alvord Brothers have sold for H. M. Brett of Leominster lots of 1520 and 6080 square feet on Eastbourne road, Newton Centre, assessed for \$1800, to the Old Colony Realty Associates, who have brought for development.

Alvord Brothers have sold for Louis H. Fitch to Alice B. Chapin the estate 26 Saxon road corner Saxon terrace, Newton Highlands, consisting of a modern single stone and frame house, garage and 9092 square feet of land, the whole assessed for \$5750, of which \$4450 is on the buildings and \$1300 on the land.

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WABAN PROTESTS

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erally Newton had spent money on its schools and other utilities, said a fire station for Waban was projected, and added: "What the postmaster should do is to give us better service by spending more money, not less."

A petition of protest addressed to the postmaster, said Mr. Bartlett, was signed by every person it was presented to. "You wouldn't get a single vote for your proposition among the men here," he concluded.

Francis W. Davis spoke next. He was making a remark on the need of having the Postoffice centrally located, when Postmaster Murray interrupted him, saying, "You people who live in the center of Waban seem to think that every place in Waban is equidistant from every other place."

"It is," said the Waban men in chorus.

There was a general laugh, and Mr. Congdon brought out a map marked in colors to show the postmaster what Waban was really like geographically.

H. L. Tilton suggested that if economy were wanted in the Postoffice Department it would be well to "cut out some of the hot-air stuff sent free through the mails by politicians."

Postmaster Murray laughingly responded that it could not be done. Any man who tried it was instantly accused of stopping the free seeds of the widows and orphans of the country.

Other speakers were F. A. Childs, R. E. Hall, E. A. Gilmore, C. Gould and Winfield M. Thompson. The latter suggested that a committee of residents be permitted to suggest to Postmaster Murray a plan for improving the postal service at Waban. Mr. Murray said he would be glad to receive suggestions from such a committee and would withhold his report until Monday, Feb. 1.

Mr. Andrews handed Postmaster Murray the following telegram, dated Washington, from Senator John W. Weeks to Donald M. Hill of Waban:

"The wishes of the people of Waban should be regarded in the question of the abolishment of the Postoffice. I will take no action until the postmaster's report has been made."

SKATING ON BOYD PARK

Editor Newton Graphic:—

In your issue of the 8th inst. you printed a letter in which the writer tried to soothe the outraged feelings of 400 or 500 children who have in the past enjoyed skating on Boyd's Pond. It is no small matter to deprive so many children of this healthy amusement. Substantial reasons should have been given; instead vague visions of flood disasters. Statements which the facts would not warrant were given. The letter states that it has never cost less than \$400 and frequently more than \$500 per season for skating. I have a statement from the Comptroller of Accounts of the expense for flooding the Park during the years 1912, 1913 and 1914. The following amounts for each year were: 1912, \$17.36; 1913, \$125.80; 1914, \$202.30. Total for 3 years, \$445.46, or an average for the three years of \$148.49. It would seem difficult to explain the increased cost of building dams during 1913 and 1914 over 1912. Evidently dam building is not one of the strong points of the Playground Committee.

The letter again states, that some people seem to think that Boyd's Pond might be flooded by closing the culvert. No sane person would even think of doing such a thing. What I did advocate was partial closing of the culvert, leaving ample room for the overflow to pass thru culvert. This partial closing might be done by a gate and in case of excessive flow of water could be raised so as to leave culvert free. Windlass and gate would cost but little. Once there, no yearly expense. What does the committee propose to do—build an embankment along the entire length of watercourse, change the grade of Pond? This treatment would require a dam grading and embankment. The \$1500 which they want for this would not in my opinion do half the work. Instead of this embankment the grade should be lowered and raised in certain places. By this treatment a much lower dam could be used at the outlet. Another simple and inexpensive way of treatment with no deep water danger and at same time do away with cost of watchmen, would be to flood the Pond, allow it to freeze solid, then draw off the water. Possibly the writer did not mean just what he wrote in regard to flooding Pond. He states that during the six weeks the Pond is being flooded, watchmen must be employed at \$5 per day, to keep the men and children out of the water. I think that usually 24 hours would only be necessary and the employment of more than one watchman unnecessary. The writer for committee suggests that children from Boyd's Pond go to the Stearns rink, a place little larger than a house lot and now crowded.

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NEWTON ROSE CONSERVATORIES

Newtonville

At the annual meeting of the Frost Family Association on Tuesday, Mr. John E. Frost of Clyde street was re-elected corresponding secretary.

A meeting of the Young Woman's Club of St. John's Church was held Tuesday evening at the residence of Miss Eleanor West on Newtonville avenue.

Miss Marie Mack of Waltham has hired the rooms recently vacated by Douglas Diamond in Central Block and will open a bakery and restaurant February 1st.

Mrs. Helen Washburn Belding, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Washburn of Lowell avenue, has returned to her home in Flatbush, N. Y.

A special feature of the Colonial Sale which will be held Friday, February 5th, at the Newton Club under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's Church will be the Doll Exhibit of old, new and quaint dolls and a very large quilt.

The meeting of the Every Saturday Club will be held this week at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Cushing Bamburg, 117 Mt. Vernon street. The subject will be Robert Louis Stevenson's "The Poems of Childhood," "Child's Garden," and Underwood's "Comparison with Fields and the other poets." Mr. Wallace C. Boyden will be the chairman for the evening and will be assisted by Mrs. Boyden and Mrs. J. C. Hagar.

Members of the Men's Club of St. John's Church were entertained Monday evening at the hospitable home of Mr. James P. Richardson on Walnut street and there was a large attendance. Mr. Jonckheere of Belgium, gave some interesting personal incidents of the present war in his country and he was followed by Mr. Huntington R. Hardwick, of the Harvard varsity football team who entertained those present with "inside" football. Mr. Hardwick's talk was wholly informal and made a great hit.

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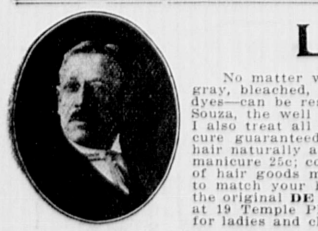
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The marriage of Miss Barbara Boss, daughter of Mr. Joseph S. Boss, and Mr. Tyler Clark of New York, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Peter Clark of Newton Centre, was solemnized on Saturday, January 16th at the home of the bride's grandfather, Mr. C. D. Boss of Broad street, New London, Conn.

The ceremony was performed at 3 o'clock by Rev. J. Romeyn Danforth, pastor of the First Congregational Church. The bride was escorted by her grandfather who gave her in marriage. She was most attractive in a beautiful wedding gown of white satin, wearing a veil of Brussels lace, and her shower bouquet of lilies of the valley was held by Master Tom Sheffield.

Her only attendant was Mrs. L. Tracy Sheffield of New London, who was given in marriage to the bride. The bride carried a bouquet of pink roses.

As the bridal party entered the music-room, where the ceremony took place Wagner's Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin was played by an orchestra. The scheme for the decorations was pink and green, with palms, and laurel in effective combination with pink Killarney roses. Preceding the ceremony, Miss Marian Chappell sang Brackett's "Proposal," and the guests were received by the Misses Boss, aunts of the bride, Mrs. George W. Hertzler of Sharon, Conn., and Mrs. C. Peter Clark of Newton Centre, mother of the bridegroom.

Wax candles, in silver candlesticks, from the old family mansion at Kennebunkport, Me., which have been used at the weddings in the Clark family since 1812, were lighted during the ceremony.

Mr. C. Peter Clark of Newton Centre, the bridegroom's father was best man and the usher included Mr. Lancaster Peter Clark of Waterbury, Conn.; Mr. Bartlett Harwood, Harvard '15, of Newton; Mr. Bradley Lancaster Coley, Yale '15 of New York; Mr. Carroll Clark Hincks, Yale '11 of New Haven; Mr. Joel Ellis Fisher, Jr., Yale '11 of New York.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Yale, class of 1911, and is a grandson of the late Charles P. Clark, former president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad. Among the guests from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Harwood of Newton; Dr. and Mrs. Walter B. Lancaster and Miss Julia Lancaster of Brookline; Mrs. Edward W. Hinks of Cambridge; Mr. Edward Grant Buckland of New Haven; Mr. and Mrs. William Prescott Rogers of Fall River; Mrs. Lancaster P. Clark of Waterbury, Conn.; and Mrs. Joel E. Fisher and Miss Vivie Fisher of New York.

On their return from a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Clark will reside in New York.

CABARET SHOW

More than two hundred teachers and their friends were present Tuesday evening at the Cabaret Show which was given by the members of the Newton Teachers Association, in the Gymnasium at the Newton High School.

A very entertaining program was arranged, which included orchestra numbers, "Italian Dialect Stories," by Miss Vera Willard; "Tableaux Calendar of the Year," by the teachers of the Emerson School; "Popular Songs," led by Mr. Horace M. Walton, the popular supervisor of music in the public schools, who so cleverly concealed his identity on the program, by juggling with the letters in his name, that the newspaper reporter spent half the night translating it; but the music was "par excellence," and the performance by the "Gold Dust Trio," who were also two modest of their talents to disclose their identity, was also excellent.

A group of songs were delightfully sung by Mr. and Mrs. Wickliffe J. Spaulding of Auburndale, and Mr. Fred H. Daniels, supervisor of drawing in the public schools entertained with a highly interesting "Chain" talk. "A Hundred Years Ago," a play by Miss Eva Sanderson and "Ann Jones" was very pleasing to the audience and a Japanese Costume Song," by the Misses Gertrude and Olive Bourne of Auburndale, was very well received.

"A Flower Dance," by Miss Ruth Allen, was very cleverly executed. Dancing was enjoyed during the intermissions and refreshments were served at tables which were arranged around the spacious hall.

Among those present were, Mr. Horace Kidger, head of the History department of the Newton Technical High School, who is president of the Association, and Mr. Samuel B. Bannister, principal of the Mason school at Newton Centre, the vice-president.

The success of the entertainment was largely due to the efforts of Mrs. W. Franklin Spooner of the Williams School at Auburndale, who is secretary and treasurer of the Association.

LODGES

The following officers were installed at Garden City Lodge 442, N. E. O. P. in A. O. U. W. Hall, West Newton, last Monday evening by D. E. W. Alice G. Doyle and suite of Cambridge; J. P. W. Emil M. Reinhalter; Varden, Algonquin W. H. McCarthy; V. W. Mary S. Meehan; Secretary, Mary F. Gleason; Fin. Sec., Mary E. White; Treas., Michael J. O'Connell; Chaplain, Elizabeth M. Donahue; Guide, Anna G. Foristall; Guardian, Margaret O'Brien; Sentinel, Della King; Trustees, Margaret E. Gaw, Justin A. McCarthy. The complete ceremony was performed in an excellent manner. E. W. Alice G. Doyle being assisted by a suite of 25. On behalf of the lodge P. W. Justin A. McCarthy presented to the deputy a beautiful cut glass bon bon receiver and the retiring warden Emil M. Reinhalter, gave a silk umbrella. This was presented by treasurer, Michael J. O'Connell in behalf of the lodge. P. W. Herbert F. Hansen presented to the retiring financial secretary, Melvina C. Joyal, a cut glass dish. Addresses were made by D. E. W. Alice G. Doyle, supreme chaplain M. G. Brunet, member of committee on laws of the grand lodge, Mary M. Doyle, member of committee on appeals Robert Thompson, P. S. S. John F. Traynor and others. Refreshments were served and dancing concluded the program. More than one hundred were present.

WOMEN'S CLUBS

MISS GRACE M. BURT, Editor

The Home Economic department of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs has arranged another series of Talks to Homemakers similar to the one held last year. They will take place on the last Friday of January, February, March and April, in Perkins Hall, Women's Educational and Industrial Union, 264 Boylston street, Boston, at 3 P. M. At the one next week, Jan. 29, Mr. Frederick S. Snyder will speak on "The Buying of Meat," illustrating by charts. Discussion will be led by Mrs. Harriet L. Darling, a member of the department, who has been heard most acceptably several times in the Newtons during the past year. These talks are free to all club members.

Local Announcements

The Waban Woman's Club will meet in Waban Hall on Jan. 25th, when Mrs. Evelyn Fletcher-Copp will give an illustrated lecture on "Child Expression in Music."

On Jan. 25th the Newton Highlands Monday Club will meet at the home of Mrs. E. G. Allen, 1093 Walnut street.

Next Monday afternoon the Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. meets with Mrs. S. A. Wiswall of Hillsdale road, where the club will have a Current Events Day in charge of Mrs. Swift.

On Monday evening the Brighthelmstone Club will observe Gentlemen's Night. The entertainment will consist of Character Readings by Mrs. Roselth Knapp Breed and vocal solos by Mrs. William Wright Calver. Refreshments and dancing will follow the entertainment.

The regular monthly Current Events lecture of the Newtonville Woman's Guild will be given next Tuesday morning by Mrs. Lella C. Pennock.

On Tuesday morning, Jan. 26, the Auburndale Review Club will hold its meeting at the home of William Knowlton on Hancock street.

Mr. Havrah W. L. Hubbard will give a talk upon Opera at the meeting of the Social Science Club next Wednesday morning. Guests may be invited. Mr. Hubbard has spoken many times before the various clubs in the Newtons and is always listened to with closest attention. This is his first appearance in Newton and he should receive a cordial welcome, for what he has to say is well worth hearing.

Local Happenings

At the meeting of the Newton Federation Executive Board on Monday morning there were the usual reports of committees and plans were discussed for the mid-winter meeting of the Federation, which will be held on Wednesday, Feb. 24, in the Technical High School. The full program will be announced later. The Education committee is arranging for another meeting of teachers and parents of the high schools similar to the one held in December, for some time in April. The Dental Clinic is going on satisfactorily. At an early date steps will be renewed for the establishment of the Bureau of Newton Activities, which has been for a time deferred.

The Newton Highlands Monday Club met at the home of Mrs. M. S. Wallace on Jan. 18. The subject for the afternoon was Modern American Poetry. James Whitcomb Riley was treated by Mrs. Peckham, George Edward Woodberry by Mrs. Winslow and William Vaughn Moody by Mrs. C. D. Miller, who read a number of his poems. Mrs. F. S. Fairchild sang sweetly several of James Whitcomb Riley's verses set to music, and Mrs. Oliver Hewitt rendered piano solo. The club had an unusual treat in the presence of Mrs. John Barnes Schmalz of Wellesley, the sister of William Vaughn Moody, who spoke of her brother, dwelling particularly upon his great love for his mother. His poem, "The Daguerrotype" she said, had been considered by critics as one of the best tributes to a mother that has ever been written.

At the meeting of the C. L. S. C. of Newton Highlands on Monday afternoon Mrs. Philip S. Sweetser was in charge of the work and her subject was "The Secret of Success." She devoted the first of the afternoon to a presentation of old Irish Folk Lore and after the recess turned to the modern short story reading from those of Jane Barlow, Seumas MacManus and James Stephens.

On Tuesday evening the Newtonville Woman's Guild had a most successful Guest Night, which proved a notable occasion. Under the title, "Senatorial Bouquets and Brickbats," Mrs. E. M. Bishop gave remarkable impersonations of many of the United States senators and related many anecdotes and experiences in Washington, which were highly enjoyed by all present. Many of the audience, who were familiar with these men, testified to the perfection of her impersonations. The baritone solos by Mr. Walker Chamberlain accompanied by Mrs. A. L. Wakefield added much to the pleasure of the evening. A social hour followed the entertainment and all the appointments were perfect in every way. The general color scheme in red was carried out in the decorations.

Mrs. Vernon B. Swett was in the chair at the meeting of the Social Science Club on Wednesday morning. After a few items of business Mrs. John Clarence Lee related experiences in travelling in Siberia and told of her visit to the capital, Irkutsk, a city of over 75,000 population. She dwelt upon the difficulties, which beset a woman travelling alone and the lack of accommodations.

On Wednesday afternoon the Poiran Club met at the home of Mrs. Mills. Mrs. H. E. Child was the leader of the study. A paper on "Sir John MacDonald and the Confederation Movement" was read by Mrs. J. K. Hemphill and the topics "Prime Ministers from 19 to 1896," and "Expansion and Industrial Growth of Canada" were treated by Mrs. Child.

The Auburndale Woman's Club held its regular meeting in the Methodist church on Tuesday, nearly 300 members and their daughters being present, and Mrs. Brown, the president, in the chair. The constitution of the club was formally adopted. The music furnished by Miss Woodbury, pianist, Miss Ruggles, cellist, Miss Miriam Herron, violinist, was very greatly enjoyed by the audience.

Mrs. Christabel Kidder gave a number of selections from Kipling, reciting with her usual skill and charm. Her thorough understanding of her author shows comprehensive study and perfect interpretation of the author's meaning, both in the "Just-So" stories and in the more serious selections. A reception and tea in the Parish house followed the recital.

An open meeting of the Waban Woman's Club was held on Monday evening in the Union Church, with the president, Mrs. George M. Angier, in the chair. Dr. Charles R. Brown, dean of the Yale Divinity School, addressed a large audience on "The Fight against War." Previous to this war and since 1898, Dr. Brown has been speaking in the interest of Universal Peace. The speaker gave four reasons why we might naturally have looked for peace rather than war at the present time: First, the nations in Europe most heavily burdened with national debts are involved in this war; second, men whom no one would expect to be too intelligent to stand up against modern guns are enlisting by thousands; third, the feeling between artisans seemed too strong for them to work together and a moral collapse among socialists seemed imminent; fourth, respectable nations keep their treaties.

The present war has made clear the following facts,—viz. that the world is ashamed of it, as are the nations involved in it. No nation is willing to assume responsibility for it. Nations care now for public opinion. The maintenance of great armies and navies as the greatest safeguard for peace will never be advanced again. The present war has produced a feeling everywhere that this war should be the last one. There is a better way than war.

On economic grounds,—the Boer War with two little republics cost England a million dollars a day for three years. The estimate now given of the present war places the cost to all nations involved at eighteen millions of dollars a day. Seventy-one to seventy-three per cent of our own national income is spent on pensions, army and navy. The terrible interruption which war brings to the education of all nations and the loss in moral progress cannot be computed in dollars and cents. The fearful bitterness between nations involved makes war too costly, and the argument from a humanitarian standpoint shows that the world has never been so kindly as at present, and has never taken care of its delinquents so well. Killing one's fellowmen comes as a contradiction to all this.

It cannot be hoped to stop the present war by outside influences, but what has been accomplished by arbitration can be kept in the minds of people. In 1907 the South American republics promised to submit their differences to a court of arbitration, and they have always kept this agreement. During the last ten years over one hundred treaties have been signed to which the United States has been a party to one third.

Dr. Brown advanced six reasons showing why the most prominent Japanese do not wish war with the United States as presented to him on his last visit to their country. Japan has had two wars within the memory of the generation in control,—one with Russia and China. She wants the friendship of the United States in the Pacific. She could not do it financially, for the taxes are forty per cent for the well-to-do and twenty-five per cent for the poorer classes. She has heavy burdens and needs roads, schools, and public institutions, besides Formosa and Korea as a heavy expense. Then one-fourth of their commerce is with the United States, and if engaged in war with us would have fire in the rear as Japan regards China and Russia as her natural enemies.

In working for peace Dr. Brown suggests that we can insist that the manufacture of armaments be a government monopoly. We can agitate doing away with secret treaties and we can propose an agreement for peace backed up by an international court, which has power to boycott the commerce of any recalcitrant nation until such time as it comes to terms.

In closing Dr. Brown made a stirring plea that our country bring to bear more judicial wisdom to advance the cause of universal peace.

Mrs. William H. Mitchell, president of the Brighthelmstone Club, was in the chair at the meeting of the club held on Monday, Jan. 18, in the club house at Allston. Contributions of old linen, cottons, sheets, etc., were solicited to be used in making bandages and dressings for the hospitals of northern France. This work is being undertaken under the auspices of the State Federation.

After announcements and other items of business, Mrs. D. W. Northup, chairman of the Education Committee, introduced Mrs. Mary C. Palmer, president of the Newtonville Woman's Guild, who gave a most absorbing and inspiring talk on "The Sea Islanders." Mrs. Palmer having lived for four years among that particular type of darkey in South Carolina, was able to give her listeners a graphic description of an old-time people and country, of which there is little known. By means of the violin, stories and songs, she illustrated the unique characteristics of the old Sea Islanders with much charm, pathos and humor.

The usual social hour concluded the program, when tea was served by the Hospitality Committee.

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Newton Highlands

—Mr. J. V. Peck of Lake avenue has returned from a business trip in the West.

—The Monday Club met this week with Mrs. S. L. Wallace on Chester street.

—The C. L. S. C. will meet on Monday, Jan. 25, with Mrs. Wiswall on Hillsdale road.

—Next Monday, Jan. 25th the Monday Club meets with Mrs. E. G. Allen, 1093 Walnut street.

—A meeting of the Friendly Helpers was held Friday afternoon at the Congregational Church.

—Mr. David Bates of Hartford street, who has been seriously ill, is now improving in health.

—Mrs. E. S. Dwyer of Lakewood road is visiting her brother, Mr. Vernon Harcombe, in Philadelphia.

—Mrs. J. T. Sedgwick, who has been ill the past week at her home on Floral street, is now able to be out again.

—Miss Hyde of Floral street entertained the members of the C. L. S. C. at her home last Monday afternoon.

—Crystal Lake Council, Royal Arcanum, held a meeting, and a whist party Monday evening in Odd Fellows hall.

—Several members of the Crystal Lake Order of the Royal Arcanum visited the Malden Council last Monday evening.

—The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church held a supper and entertainment in the church parlors Tuesday evening.

—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Odd Fellows' Building Association was held at their hall on Tuesday evening.

—Next Tuesday is Village Night and every one is going to Lincoln Hall, and there is going to be a full house and a very enjoyable evening.

—Miss Cora Stanwood Cobb of Boylston street spoke on "Women of the Renaissance" at the meeting of the Waltham Mothers' Club last Wednesday.

—The concert and Village Night entertainment under the auspices of the Newton Highlands Improvement Association will be held on Tuesday evening in Lincoln hall.

—A meeting on International Peace in which the churches will unite will be held in the Congregational Church, March 18th. Professor Jay William Hudson of the Massachusetts Peace Society, will speak.

—Plans are under way for a big celebration in the nature of a complimentary banquet to Mr. Almon J. Fairbanks, director of the Highland Gleu Club and are in the hands of a committee consisting of Will H. Chaplin, J. H. Elwell and James Kingman.

—At the next meeting of the Men's League in the Congregational chapel on Thursday, Jan. 28, the subject of National Prohibition will be debated with the affirmative led by Mr. Charles F. Johnson, Jr., and the negative by Mr. Edward H. Ruby.

—The offer of the Graphic to send several Newton ladies to Washington during Easter week, absolutely without expense to them, is arousing considerable interest. Full particulars can be obtained at this office. Inquire for Mr. Curtis.

—Mrs. Caroline W. Jones, widow of the late George S. Jones, died suddenly last Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George H. Denver on Lincoln street. Mrs. Jones was 71 years of age and a resident of her life in Leominster. She is survived by one son, Mr. George P. Jones of Leominster, and three daughters, Mrs. Walter B. Farmer of Brookline, Mrs. Albert H. Stone of Gardner and Mrs. Denver. The funeral services were held Tuesday in Leominster.

DIED

DALEY, At Auburndale, Jan. 18, Margaret, widow of John L. Daley, aged 48 yrs., 5 mos.
COOKSON, At Auburndale, Jan. 18, Johanna J., wife of Ivan B. Cookson, aged 49 yrs., 9 mos., 28 days.
GOULD, At the Newton Hospital, Jan. 16, George W. Gould of Newtonville, aged 87 yrs., 4 mos.
DANFORTH, At West Newton, Jan. 16, Alfred Danforth, aged 66 yrs., 8 mos., 28 days.
JONES, At Newton Highlands, Jan. 16, Caroline W., widow of George S. Jones, aged 71 yrs., 7 mos., 29 days.

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NEWTON WOMAN'S CLUB

The regular meeting of the Newton Woman's Club was held at the home of Mrs. Charles Whitaker Ryder on Walnut street, Newtonville yesterday afternoon. A delightful musicale was given by the following artists, Miss Maude Craig, pianist; Miss Bernice Eudora Wright, soloist; Miss Barbara Sawyer, violinist; Mr. Bertram Currier, cello; Master E. S. Wheeler, Jr., soloist, and Miss Josephine M. Wright, Mr. Spencer Sawyer and Mrs. E. S. Wheeler, accompanists.

The next meeting of the Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Douglass on Walnut street, Newtonville, on Wednesday, Jan. 27, when Mr. Louis Chalmers Stanton will give a talk with musical illustrations. Fraulien Meyer who takes the part of Mary Magdalen in Oberammergau will also be present.

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Auburndale

—The Altar Guild of the Church of the Messiah, will hold a candy sale on Saturday afternoon at 299 Auburn street, from two until six o'clock.

—There will be a service of Holy Communion Sunday morning at 7:30 at the Church of the Messiah; morning prayer and sermon by the rector Rev. Harrie Beal, at 10:30 and evening prayer and address at 4:30.

NEWTON OPERA HOUSE

A feature bill is booked for the week of January 25 with the great Universal Serial Drama, "The Master Key," and Miss Mary Pickford in "Love Among the Roses," and three big acts of vaudeville. On Wednesday and Thursday Mr. Francis X. Bushman, the hero of the Ladies' World Contest, in three exciting parts, and with the regular show will make an interesting program. On Friday and Saturday the Pathe mystery serial story, "The Exploits of Elaine," featuring Mr. Arnold Daly together with the greatest mystery act on the stage today, Pitroff, the Handcuff King.

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Auburndale

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—Mr. Potter is having a new house built on Windermere road.

—Mr. Harold Whitehead has returned from an extended western trip.

—Mrs. Paul Libby and daughter have returned from a visit to New Jersey for the holidays.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Allen formerly of this town, are rejoicing in the birth of a little daughter.

—A daughter was born last week Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tower (Esther Day) of Seminary avenue.

—The Girls Club met last Friday evening at the home of their president, Miss Mildred Knowlton on Hancock street.

—Mrs. W. A. Allen of Portland, Maine, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Everett Beane of Central street.

—At the annual meeting of the New England Shoe and Leather Association Mr. Charles A. Brown was chosen a director.

—A cake sale is to be held next Saturday afternoon, by the Parish Workers for the benefit of the Church of the Messiah. Mr. Goring has kindly given the use of his shop for the occasion.

—The parish work department of the Church of the Messiah will hold a food sale on Saturday afternoon from 2 until 6 at 299 Auburn street. Mrs. Eva C. Fogwill is chairman of the committee in charge.

—Rev. A. J. Muste, the new pastor of Central Congregational Church, Newtonville, gave an address at the evening service Sunday at the Congregational Church. Music was furnished by the Young People's Chorus.

—The offer of the Graphic to send several Newton ladies to Washington during Easter week, absolutely without expense to them, is arousing considerable interest. Full particulars can be obtained at this office. Inquire for Mr. Curtis.

—The fourth in the series of entertainments by the Auburndale Village Improvement Society will be held Monday and Tuesday evenings in Norumbega hall. The program will include home talent, Great County Fair by the same authors of Vaudeville Circus and Village Store.

—The annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary and Parish Guild of the Episcopal Church, was held Monday afternoon, and in spite of the storm, about forty members were present. It was a most interesting meeting. Mr. Beal, the rector, presided by request, and introduced a new constitution which was adopted. There was much freedom of discussion and exchange of opinion was encouraged. It was decided to have the Guild divided into two branches with an executive board in charge. Mrs. Beal was elected president; Mrs. Fred Barnes, vice-president; Miss Washburn, secretary. The two branches will hold their meetings on alternate Mondays and it is hoped that the usefulness of the Guild will in this way greatly increase.

Auburndale

—Mr. and Mrs. Clarence L. Tower of Myrtle street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter on Friday, January 15th.

—The Mothers' Association of the Congregational Church gave a reception to its new members this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. G. F. Howlands on Vista avenue.

—Mrs. McConnell was the leader of the Foreign Missionary meeting Wednesday afternoon at the Congregational Church. The subject was, "Our Children's Work."

—Before the regular meeting of the Castle Sterling Knights of King Arthur held on January 14th, thirteen boys from Waltham came over to Auburndale and passed the first degree.

—The Girls' Friendly Society of the Church of the Messiah held a meeting on Monday evening in the chapel. The members are rehearsing two dramatic sketches, the titles and dates to be announced later.

—The record service will be held Sunday afternoon at four o'clock in the Congregational Church. Darius Cobb, the famous artist, will exhibit and speak upon his best known painting, "The Master."

—Director Landone of the International Institute of Arts and Sciences of Paris delivered an address to the students of Lasell Seminary on Thursday afternoon. He spoke very interestingly of conditions in France resulting from the great war.

—Mr. Raymond Hilton, a former resident of Auburndale and a member of the Centenary Methodist Church, passed away Saturday at the Tuberculosis Hospital in Middleboro. The remains were taken to Pulaski, N. Y., for burial. Mr. Hilton is survived by a widow.

—"Daughters' Day" was observed by the Auburndale Woman's Club at the meeting Tuesday afternoon in the parish house at the Centenary Methodist Church. An interesting program entitled "An Afternoon with Kipling," was given by Mrs. Christabel W. Kilder. There was an unusually large attendance.

—The Woman's Guild of the Church of the Messiah held its annual meeting on Monday afternoon in the chapel and adopted a new constitution. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. Harry Beal; Vice-President, Mrs. F. P. Barnes; Secretary, Miss A. M. Washburn. At the next meeting a set of the parish work, officers will be elected, and at the following meeting a set of Missionary work officers will be elected. The Guild meets every Monday afternoon in the parish hall.

—The regular meeting of the Lawrence Club was held at the Parish House, Church of the Messiah, last Tuesday evening. About 50 members were present and a supper was served by a committee in charge of H. K. Remick. The speaker of the evening was Mr. M. Frank Lucas of West Newton, who described his very interesting experiences in the island of Jamaica. He was accompanied by about 200 views with the stereopticon, most of them taken by himself, and it was a very successful meeting.

Newton Centre

—Miss Clark O. Watson of Cypress street is ill at her home with the grip.

—Mrs. Edwin M. Towle of Norwood avenue is visiting a few weeks in Ohio.

—Master Ira L. Jordan of Beacon street is ill at his home with pneumonia.

—Mrs. Nora C. Driscoll of Walnut street is ill at her home with pneumonia.

—Mr. Alexander Taylor of Canton is visiting his sister on Trowbridge street.

—Mr. Robert Clark of Willow street is ill at the Newton Hospital with appendicitis.

—Mr. D. A. Ferguson, who has been ill at his home on Pelham street, is able to be about.

—Mr. Josiah L. Swift of Commonwealth avenue is spending a few days in Portsmouth.

—Miss Martha Jenkins of Ward street has gone to Albany, N. Y., for a few days' visit.

—Mr. Charles Lincoln Holmes of Philadelphia, Pa., is visiting his parents on Centre street.

—Miss Mabel J. Hopkins of Commonwealth avenue is spending the week end in Hartford.

—Miss Eva L. Carew of Montvale road is spending the remainder of the month at Gardner, Me.

—Rev. George H. Parkinson, who has been on a short trip to Rutland, is again at his home on Lake avenue.

—Mr. Robert L. Blackstone has returned to his home on Parker street after a few days' visit to New York.

—Miss Margaret Ferguson, who has been visiting her parents on Pelham street, has returned to school in Salem.

—Mr. C. Peter Young of Gray Cliff road has gone to Portland, Maine, for a few weeks' trip on account of his health.

—Next Sunday at the Methodist Church the sermon will be delivered by Pres. L. H. Murlin of Boston University.

—At the recent annual election of the New England Trust Co. Mr. Morris Gray of Chestnut hill was elected a director.

—At the annual meeting this week of the New England Shoe & Leather Association, Mr. H. Fred Lesh was chosen a director.

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Newton Centre

—At the meeting of the Bowdoin College Alumni Association held Wednesday evening Mr. Ripley L. Dana, '01 was elected secretary.

—At the annual meeting this week of the Women's Auxiliary New England Baptist Hospital Mrs. Alvah Hovey was elected a vice president.

—The monthly meeting of the Unitarian Club of Newton was held last evening at the Unitarian Church. Rev. Samuel B. Nobbs spoke on "Changing the Mental Climate—What We can do about it."

—The annual meeting of the Unitarian Society was held last Friday evening in the church parlors, supper being served at 6:30 o'clock under the direction of Mrs. C. C. Small, to about 120 persons. At the business meeting which followed, reports were received from the various church officials and these officers elected, Executive committee, Messrs. J. B. Studley, president, A. A. Blanchard, clerk; M. W. Melcher, treasurer; Fred T. Parks, Charles T. Powers, Mrs. A. W. Small and Mrs. H. P. Bradford. Trustees, Messrs. H. C. Hawks, Otis D. Fellows and Robert E. Clark.

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REV. RUFUS H. DIX
Pastor at the Universalist Church,
Newtonville

Rev. A. J. Muste, the new pastor of Central Church, Newtonville, was born in Zierikzee in The Netherlands January 8, 1885. He came to America at the age of six years and his family settled in Grand Rapids, Michigan, where they have since resided. He graduated from Hope College in Holland, Michigan, in 1905, then taught for one year, after which he entered the Theological Seminary in New Brunswick, New Jersey, from which he graduated in 1909. Later he attended and received his degree from Union Seminary. He supplied the Fort Washington Reformed Church of New York City while a student in the seminary and became its first pastor at the organization of the church five years ago. During these five years he has built up a flourishing church of about 500 members, which is self-supporting. He is very highly recommended by those who know him and his work in New York City as a man of deep spirituality coupled with unusual mental gifts. He is spoken of as the most brilliant student in the theological seminary for the last twenty years. He is an unusually able preacher and the sincerity of his utterance gives him a strong hold upon his congregation. Central Church was able to secure him because his thorough and extended study had brought him into the progressive wing of the church and led him to feel the necessity of changing to a denomination where he would feel a little less restraint theologically. Those who know him best are extending congratulations to Central Church over their good fortune in securing so able a Christian leader.

Rev. Harry Beal, the new rector at the Church of the Messiah at Auburndale, was born in Oneida, N. Y., in 1885. He graduated from Yale in 1906 and for two years was the master at St. Paul's school at Concord, N. H. He studied for the ministry at the General Theological Seminary in New York City and graduated from the Episcopal Theological School at Cambridge, Mass., in 1911. He was rector of St. Paul's Church, Constableville, N. Y., from 1911 until called to Auburndale this last fall. Rev. Mr. Beal married Miss Marjorie B. Clements of Stamford, Conn., and they have an infant daughter.

Rev. Rufus H. Dix, the pastor of the Universalist Church at Newtonville was born in Holliston, Mass., in 1877 and is a graduate of St. Lawrence University of New York, 1901. He has held pastorates at Warren, South Boston, Amesbury and Weymouth and came to Newtonville last September.

POMROY HOME

Donations for December

Mrs. J. W. Carter, West Newton, rompers, twelve pair stockings; Mrs. Marvin, a large squash; Mrs. Barry, apples; Church of Good Shepherd, Waban, apples and vegetables for Thanksgiving; Mrs. F. Barrett, Newtonville, vegetables, clothes, groceries; Miss Ruth M. Page, hats; Central Congregational Church, Newtonville, more "bags"; friend, milk, cards, pieces, \$15.00; Mrs. O. M. Fisher, box prunes, handkerchiefs; Elizabeth Rees, pair rubbers; Mrs. C. J. Bailey, hats, trimmings, bound volumes Youth's Companion and Ladies' Home Journal; Ladies of the Newton Centre Baptist Church, bananas; G. P. Atkins Co., boxes; Immanuel Church, Social, turkey bones, butter; Elliot Church, four quarts ice cream; Mrs. J. S. Round, Wakefield, jellies, candy, Christmas gift; Miss Louise Walworth, invitation to play at Players' Hall, Xmas gifts; Mr. George Owen, nuts, dates, fancy crackers, soup; Mrs. Sherman, pears; Mrs. J. Q. A. Whittemore, paper dolls, handkerchiefs; Mrs. A. C. Walworth, Christmas gifts to all; Mrs. A. B. Cobb, gifts to all; Mrs. Eben Ellison, skirts, waists; Mrs. Geo. S. Harwood, plum pudding, cards, handkerchiefs; Mrs. Frank Scofield, coat, shoes, hats; Mrs. J. T. Lodge, basket of fruit, candles, cake; Misses Allen School, turkey dinner for Xmas; Mrs. Nath. T. Allen, oranges; Miss Lucy E. Allen, blocks of paper, pencils; Miss Margaret Cobb, a Xmas cake; Mrs. J. D. Lucas, vegetables, groceries; Mrs. H. E. Barker, toys, games, ice cream; Vendome Bakery, large fruit cake; "Gleaners," Elliot Church, \$2.00; Woman's League, New Church, Newtonville, thirteen aprons; Ladies' Home Circle, \$3.00; Miss Alden, Waltham, hats, dresses, clothing, cloth; Mrs. William Dewey, crate of oranges; Mrs. C. O. Tucker, cards and stamps; Mrs. F. L. Trowbridge, sled; Mrs. E. Burck, magazines, trinkets, clothing, confectionery for all; Mrs. E. D. Seccomb, books; Miss Dorothy Seccomb, story books; Mrs. J. W. McIntire and Mrs. Samuel Hyslop, invitation to Christmas Cantata at Players' Hall; Mrs. Frank A. Day, Christmas entertainment, gifts, cut flowers, records for piano; Mrs. George Agnew, confectionery; Lent-A-Hand Club, Channing Church, bags of candy for the tree; Miss Mabel Riley, plant, gifts to all the family; Miss Anna M. Whiting, silver quarters, Christmas gifts; Mrs. S. W. Holmes, cloth, garments, dresses; Mrs. F. E. Stanley, \$5.00 for Xmas; Mrs. A. M. Crain, Christmas cards; H. P. Hood & Sons, five lbs. butter; Mrs. W. M. Berrett, Wakefield, candy.

EPIPHANY OR OLD CHRISTMAS

Many persons have recently been asking the question "What is the Epiphany?" in connection with the special celebrations at the Episcopal churches. Epiphany is one of the four fixed feasts in the English church, as well as in the Roman Catholic Church. These feasts are: Christmas, always occurring December 25th, Epiphany which comes twelve days later, Easter which is fixed by astronomical calculation and Ascension Day which is forty days after Easter. In the early history of the church, there was no Christmas and Epiphany was a greater day for many centuries. It was associated with the coming of the Wise Men of the East to the infant Saviour. These mysterious strangers, who in the process of time developed into three kings named Caspar, Melchior and Balthasar descended respectively from the sons of Noah, Ham, Shem and Japheth were regarded as the first fruits of the heathen world to Christ.

In the Eastern church Epiphany was a special day for baptism, and so for the illumination of the soul and gained the title of the "Day of Lights," or "Feast of Candles." At the altar of the Chapel Royal of St. James' in England the reigning sovereign still pays a Twelfth Day oblation at the Offertory, in gold, frankincense and myrrh.

"Three caskets they bore on their saddle bows
Three caskets of gold with golden keys
Their robes were of crimson silk with rows
Of bells and pomegranates and furbelows,
Their turbans like blossoming almond trees.

They laid their offerings at his feet:
The gold was their tribute to a King,
The frankincense with its odor sweet
Was for the Priest, the Paraclete
The myrrh for the body's burying."

Many of the great artists have taken the coming of the Magi as subjects for paintings, especially during the Middle Ages. There is not a country in Europe or a large city but has its Three Kings, either in a public house, or building of some kind and the Cathedral at Cologne is their shrine and their bones are supposed to rest there.

*From Longfellow's poem of "The Three Kings."

CURT THEATRE—"What's Going On" a new musical farce "made in America" by American authors and with an American plot, will come to the Curt Theatre Monday evening, Jan. 25th. John Curt who owns and controls one hundred and twenty theatres and is one of the foremost American managers, will present the play. Among the principals are Walter Lawrence, Frances Cameron, William Burres, Roy Atwell, Dorothy Webb, Maude Beatty, Carrie Graham Burres, P. O'Malley Jennings, and a chorus that can sing and dance. The efforts of a German proprietor of a hotel in the Catskill mountains to arrange a match between an impetuous but titled English composer and an itinerant modiste he believes to be a wealthy society leader form the theme of farce into which has been woven an interesting love story. The authors have built along the lines that amusement seekers demand this season and there is nothing but laughter, song, dance and speed in the dialogue and the fifteen musical numbers that have been written into the farce.

PLYMOUTH THEATRE—That the Plymouth Theatre, Boston, will continue to offer its patrons the very best in theatricals is evidenced in the announcement that on next Monday "Too Many Cooks," a comedy that kept New Yorkers laughing for one solid year, will begin its limited engagement. The production is offered by William A. Brady, Ltd., and needless to say is given an elaborate setting and surrounded by unusually clever company headed by Frank Craven. As a matter of fact Mr. Craven is the author of this novel play and appears in his original character. The others in the cast are notable stage favorites that comprise the original company that presented the play for one year at the 39th street theatre, New York. "Too Many Cooks" is a comedy of suburban life that will have a genuine and wholesome appeal to New England playgoers. For the freshness of its ideas and its "stained crispness and humor of its dialogue, it stands second to no other comedy. It is the brightest, truest and most deliciously human comedy that has been produced in a decade.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE—"Common Clay" began its third week at Castle Square Theatre yesterday with two of the big houses that are now the usual thing at the popular South End playhouse. A few slight changes made during the course of last week have strengthened and smoothened the production and there is every sign that what many enthusiasts declare will prove to be the biggest American play for years, has settled down for an unprecedented run at Mr. Craig's theatre. Miss Mary Young's fine performance of Ellen Neal gains in power and insight. Mr. John Craig as snave and worldly Judge Filson, Mr. William Carleton as buoyant Hugh Fullerton, Mr. Dudley Ahlwey as the weakling Coakley, and Mr. Al Roberts as attorney Yates all do good and realistic work.

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The barn on the Woodward estate off Woodward street, Waban, was practically destroyed Monday night by a fire caused by the exploding of the gasoline tank, when Willard Woodward was lighting the lamps. The flames spread rapidly and burned the automobile, several carriages, sleighs, a quantity of grain and considerable antique furniture. The family horse was saved.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate

By virtue of a power of sale and for breach of the condition contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Louis H. Dodge to M. E. Wyner dated June 30, 1914, and recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds Book 3895, Page 447, will be sold at public auction on the premises therein described on Thursday, Feb. 4, 1915, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—

A certain parcel of land in Newton being lot 12 on a plan of land in West Newton, Mass., belonging to Louis H. Dodge, E. S. Smiley, Surveyor, dated March 20, 1914, and recorded with Middlesex So. Dist. Deeds, Book of Plans 221 Plan 37, and bounded and described as follows:—Northwesterly by land now or formerly of S. E. Howard 54 feet; northeasterly by lot 13 on said plan 100 feet; southeasterly by Adena Rd. as shown on said plan 54 feet; southwesterly by lot of land as shown on said plan 100 feet. Being part of the premises conveyed to me by deed of W. C. Canfield, dated Jan. 24, 1914.

Said premises will be sold subject also to any and all unpaid taxes, municipal assessments and municipal liens, if any. Subject also to a mortgage of \$4000.

\$300 in cash will be required to be paid by the purchaser at the time and place of sale, and the balance on terms to be announced at the sale.

M. E. WYNER, Mortgagee.
Attys. for Mtgee.
18 Tremont St., Boston.

Notice Is Hereby Given that all goods, wares, and merchandise now in storage at 7 Chestnut street, Newton Court of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, at the property of Mrs. J. A. Harris whose address is unknown to the undersigned, and on which more than one year of storage is due, will be sold at public auction at 10 A. M. on the 10th day of March, 1915, unless the amount due for storage and expenses of advertising are paid previous to time of sale.

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GOLD PRIZES NEXT WEEK

Contestants For Our Washington Trip Have An Extra Incentive To Hustle

Contestants for a place in the Newton Graphic Travel Club will have an additional incentive in the coming week for CASH PRIZES IN GOLD will be offered for the person casting the largest number of votes and for the person sending in the largest number of individual subscriptions, as follows:—
\$2.50 in GOLD for the largest vote.
\$2.50 in GOLD for the largest number of individual subscriptions of \$2.00.
This supplementary contest will close at 9 o'clock next Thursday night, Feb. 4th and is open to everybody.

The first vote exhibit showing the standing of the candidates entered in the competition for membership in the Newton Graphic Travel Club that is being formed of Newton women who will be given a trip De Luxe to New York, Philadelphia, with several days in Washington as well as visiting many other points of interest, is given today.

From this time on it is going to be intensely interesting to watch the vote totals as the different counts are made and announced.

Several of the contestants did not make a report of their votes for this first showing but will be represented in the next standing which will be given Friday, February 5th.

The Bonus Vote that was given on each club of subscriptions of ten dollars reported by Thursday, January 29th, will be repeated the coming week. This means that for each ten dollar report of subscriptions, old or new, handed in by the candidate on or before Thursday night, February 5th, an extra 5000 Bonus Vote will be given. Each contestant can secure as many of these extra Bonus Vote offers as may be desired. The time to act is now. In securing these extra votes, candidates will pave the way for greatly increased totals and mayhap win one of the Gold Pieces that will be awarded Friday, February 5th, according to the announcement given in this issue.

The attention of the candidates is called to the fact that the coupons which appear in each issue of the NEWTON GRAPHIC are good for twenty-five votes but an expiration date is given on each one and these counters must be in the counting-room before they expire, to be of value.

The dating is extended each week, so friends who are saving the coupons for the benefit of the contestants should "Watch the Date" on each one, and send them to the Travel Club office. The certificate vote is that vote issued on payments made on subscription and can be voted at the option of the recipient.

While the vote totals are not large as yet, they mark the beginning of the battle for the ballots which will be continued for the next few weeks and determine who the ladies shall be who will go to Washington at the expense of this paper. The following weeks will be brimful of hustle and the interest will be intense as the totals of the various candidates reach the high figures.

Several new candidates from the various districts have announced their candidacy since last week's issue. This is to be expected for as the value of the excellent itinerary is fully realized many are going to do their very best to be represented in the party. In every district there is a chance for a new candidate to get into the vote-getting habit and forge to the top of the standing in one week balloting. This contest is like everything else

worth while in life. Those who set a goal and faithfully go after it, are the ones who get the big things in this world. Several of the candidates say it is the greatest fun they ever had. They assert that it is all in the trying. Find a contestant who is really trying and see if she is not pleased that she is in the contest. The world flocks around a winner, and this is going to be more evident as the contest progresses. The real contest began with this week's standing, yet the votes are already coming to the office for the favorite ones and many are the votes that will be accorded the workers in this way that will be a distinct surprise to those who get them. Subscriptions can be paid at the office by any subscriber at any time, and the votes given to a candidate, but the votes must be asked for at the time that the payment is made.

And Then, the Trip

Need we tell you of the stay in Washington? To properly catalogue and tell of the scores of interesting points would require a volume. Washington, of all American cities, has been the most pictured. It contains the most of interest to all Americans. Slowly, yet surely, is this city becoming the city grand of all the world. Its location, its noble buildings, historic surrounding, its parks and monuments form a picture the like of which nowhere else on earth can quite compare in the heart of the patriotic American. The capitol, imposing, magnificent in its classic grandeur; Washington monument, towering to the height of more than five hundred feet; its massive walls builded of blocks of granite from every country in the world. The view from the top of this mighty shaft is grand and inspiring. From it are seen the beautiful reaches of Washington spreading beneath you like the dream of an artist; the winding Potomac and the fading blue hills of Maryland; Arlington, where lie sleeping over 16,000 of the nation's defenders 'neath the sod of that beautiful cemetery awaiting the call of the Great Commander. Mt. Vernon, that hallowed spot where every American should at some time bow his head in reverent thought for the noble, heroic man whom the ages shall know as the father of a nation, the first president of the mightiest republic—Washington. Can you not imagine with what emotion you will tread the soil that knew the footsteps of him; his home and the tomb of his dust? Who has not longed for a visit to the Smithsonian Institute, that invaluable store house of the world's scientific and historical knowledge?

Contestants, the time will be short. You have not long to work for the coveted goal. Begin now to make a systematic canvass of your prospects. Many have promised assistance. Have they made good? Do not wait until the eleventh hour to produce them.

An avalanche of coupons were turned into the hopper for the count as is given in the issue of this week and while some of the candidates who were favored with the counters did not get any of the certificate votes to the office in time for this announcement there is proof certain that the next standing will show some very largely increased totals. Many of the certificate votes that were issued and given to the payee were not returned for the count. Subscribers and contestants should bear in mind that the

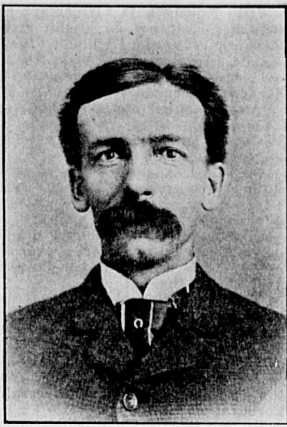
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RETIREES FROM SERVICE

Mr. Edwin H. Corey of Newton Highlands to Leave the B. & A.

Mr. Edwin H. Corey, for over thirty years the station agent at the Newton Highlands station of the B. & A. R. R., retires from active service on February first having reached the age limit prescribed by the rules of the Company.

Mr. Corey was born in Watertown, Mass. in 1845, and at 14 years of age became a telegraph messenger at Worcester and one year later was employed as a telegraph operator at the old Beach Street station of the Boston & Worcester Railroad Co. In 1862 he opened the first city line office in



MR. EDWIN H. COREY

Charlestown and in 1863 opened the telegraph office in the American House in Boston. From 1865 to 1870, Mr. Corey was employed at the old State House office on presswork for newspapers and the sessions of the Stock Exchange. On account of ill health he was obliged to give up active work and in 1881 opened the station at Newton Highlands for the old New York, New England Railroad. At that time there was no telegraph, express or Sunday trains in the village and only two mails each way.

Mr. Corey will be associated with his son, E. H. Corey, Jr., in the grocery house business at 33 Floral street, and will also continue as agent for the Luther Paul Company, coal and wood.

WILBUR THEATRE—Staid old Boston is just now indulging in a spree of happy laughter, caused by "A Pair of Sixes," the merry farce which has scored such a terrific hit at the Wilbur Theatre, and which promises to break all records for attendance and hilarity in the Hub City. Not in the memory of the present generation of playgoers has any farce been seen in a Boston theatre which has given such general and absolute satisfaction and which had the audience laughing so immoderately. And the fun is all of the wholesome and healthy sort—the kind your mother or daughter would enjoy quite as heartily as you would yourself. Not only is "A Pair of Sixes" the most amusing play ever seen here, but it is presented by a company of comedy stars, among whom are Frank McIntyre, Fritz Williams, Sam B. Hardy, Oza Waldrop, Maude Eburne, Grace Carlyle, James T. Galloway, George Lynch, Elise Scott and a dozen other expert farceurs.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

Gethsemane Commandery Entertains High Officials of the Order

Gethsemane Commandery, K. T., held a most interesting meeting Tuesday night at its assembly in Newtonville, turning out nearly two hundred Sir Knights from its own membership and fully as many visitors, representing forty different commanderies, including two from Missouri. The Commandery was further honored by the presence of Grand Commander Walter F. Medding of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island and the Most Eminent Philip D. Gordon, supreme grand master of the Sovereign Grand Priory of Canada, besides a large deputation from Mt. Horeb Commandery of Concord, N. H. The Grand Commander was accompanied by Grand Warden Charles E. Prior and introduced by Generalissimo Charles W. Henderson, Jr., who was accompanied by Past Commanders Albert L. Harwood, Lewis E. Binney, George Breeden, Edmund G. Pond, William F. Jarvis, W. E. Peterson and Asa C. Jewett.

Capt. Gen. George H. Dale had charge of the lines and Adj. A. E. Billings was in command of the following escort: James O. Perkins, first lieutenant; Oscar H. Butler, second lieutenant; Edgar M. Parker, Charles F. Ward, Harry W. Twigg, W. G. S. Chamberlain, Walter C. Whitney, Christopher I. Flye, Arthur W. Porter, Harry B. Knowles, Henry B. Nickerson, William L. Dixon, Allen D. Cady, Walter H. Barney, Edwin F. Ripley, William H. Whitcomb, Augustus H. Foucar, Roland C. March, Fred M. Blanchard, George A. B. Bacon, James B. Galland, Lewis E. Moore, Winfield S. Smyth, Roger S. Hubbard, Charles S. Parker, Hollis H. Sawyer, Frederic W. K. Baker, Ernest C. Fisher, Charles E. A. Ross, Frank J. Chapin, Ernest W. Paine, Edward H. Bull and Francis C. Mann.

Eminent Commander A. H. Decatur extended a cordial welcome to the head of the Grand Commandery on his first official visit, and trusted that they would see him often there. The grand commander alluded to the warm friendships he had among Newton Templars, and presented Past Grand Commanders William H. H. Soule and Charles I. Litchfield.

The presence of grand master Gordon was heralded by Grand Lecturer Asa C. Jewett as his acting warden, and the introduction was performed by the escort with the distinguished Templar entered the assembly the Stars and Stripes and British flags preceded him and the organist played "God Save the King" amid loud applause.

Grand Capt. Gen. William H. Emerson had with him as deputy grand warden Past Commander Albert Manley, and officially inspected the Commandery.

After the exemplification Grand Capt. Gen. Emerson and warden were presented cut-glass dishes. On behalf of Gethsemane, Commander Decatur conferred upon Grand Master Gordon of Canada honorary membership.

THE CIVIC CLUB

The Civic Club of Newton composed of persons who have ever held an elective office in the city of Newton, will hold its annual meeting next Wednesday night at the Exchange Club of Boston and will discuss "Efficiency in City Business" with Hon. John A. Sullivan, corporation counsel of Boston, Mr. Sanford E. Thompson, recently consulting engineer for the Director of Public Works of Philadelphia, and Mr. George F. Willett of Norwood, as the principal speakers.

PUBLIC DECLAMATION

Pupils at Technical High School Give Creditable Exhibition

The pupils of the Newton Technical High School scored a gratifying success in the Public Declaration and dramatic entertainment which was given Friday evening in the school hall.

An audience of more than 600 was present and many who arrived late had to be refused admittance at the door.

A program of 17 numbers was presented and each number was received with greatest enthusiasm. The opening numbers, "Musical Selections," by Henry Ernest, 15; "The Little Red Hen," recitation by Dennis Sullivan, 17; and the "Swan Song," by Miss Margaret White, 17, were most excellent.

The rendition of "Fairland Waltz," and "Rest Thee on this Mossy Pillow," by the Newton Technical High School Glee Club, under the direction of Mr. Frank T. Wingate, met with unanimous approval.

Howard Mitchell, 15, and Stuart Daniels, 16, proved very pleasing entertainers with clever acrobatic "stunts." "The Long and the Short of It," or "Evolution by Revolutions," by Miss Lillian Jefford, 15, contributed a well rendered piano solo, "The Nightingale and the Zephyr," by "The Famine" from "Hiawatha," by Miss Elizabeth Conroy, 18, and the "Fireman's Muster at Newry," by Cuthbert Carey, 15, were well received.

The applause after each recitation gave an indication of the interest and appreciation of the audience. Miss Claire Kincaid, 15, who possesses a very sweet and exceedingly flexible soprano voice, sang "A Dream," by Bartlett, and her singing won much merited applause.

"Declaration Day in a Country School," was the title of an amusing number by Miss Marion O'Connell, 15, who took the part of teacher and Miss Margaret Hinkley, 15, who represented the pupils.

"The Pied Piper of Hamelin," by Alice Foley, 17, and "The Triumph of Peace," by Charles Parlin, 15, were among the interesting numbers on the program, and a group of senior players from Room 11, gave an excellent burlesque of "Pyramus and Thisbe," from "A Midsummer Night's Dream" and their interpretation of their ability as actors. The cast included Edwin McGill, "Quince," for the prologue; John Keller, "Thesens, Duke of Athens," Francis Quirk, "Lysander," Miss Lillian Kneeland, "Hippolyta, Queen of Athens"; Earl Conn, "Demetrius"; Hammond Perkins, "Wall"; Cuthbert Carey, "Pyramus"; George Wiewall, "Thisbe"; Mary Clifford, "Helen"; Margaret Mutch, "Hermia"; Sheldon Root, "Lion"; and James Armstrong, "Moonshine."

A vocal selection, "Somewhere a Voice is Calling," by Mr. Stephens, whose singing is of that fine quality which appeals irresistibly to an audience, was repeatedly encoed, and he responded with the beautiful song, "Passing By."

"The Painter of Seville," by Rachel De Rucha, 15, and Robert Burn's "To a Mouse on Turning Her Up with the Plough," and "Auld Lang Syne," by Jack Lewis, 18, with chorus singing by Miss Kincaid, completed a program of excellence which was a rare treat for those who had the good fortune to be present.

The entertainment reflected a great deal of credit on the pupils of the school, and also on the English Department of the School, under whose direction it was given.

There is still time enough to enter the Newton Graphic Travel Club contest.

VILLAGE NIGHT

Successful Social Event Held at Newton Highlands, Tuesday Evening

Newton Highlands held a Village Night on Tuesday which proved conclusively that it has more than the average amount of "community spirit" and that the Newton Highlands Improvement Association, under whose auspices the affair took place, had not labored in vain.

More than three hundred residents of the village gathered at Lincoln hall, and while their presence gave ample evidence that a larger and better meeting place is urgently needed, the spirit of neighborly kindness and good will was so apparent, that the discomforts of a crowded floor were reduced to a minimum.

There was an informal reception to President and Mrs. James Kingman, Congressman-elect William H. Carter and Mayor and Mrs. Childs at the beginning of the festivities of the evening.

The hall was attractively decorated with festoons of bunting gathered at the centre of the ceiling and with the walls elaborately draped with the national colors, and here and there, placards urging support of the Improvement Association. Over sixty tables occupied the floor and every seat was filled during a most enjoyable program which included orchestral numbers by an orchestra, some excellent selections by the Highland Glee Club with Mr. A. J. Fairbanks, director, a duet by Messrs. Edwin S. Drowne and Maurice L. Quinlan, a solo by Mr. Eliot H. Robinson, and singing of popular songs by the audience. Two special numbers were received with considerable enthusiasm. Miss Bessie Talbot Salmon in the costume of the period giving a group of French Bergettes, the gay and sentimental airs sung by French ladies of the nobility, in hoop skirts and talons rouge, when they used to play at being shepherdesses with their gilded crooks and powdered wigs, while Harry C. Johnson brought down the house with his clever monologues.

During the evening dainty parades of red, blue, pink and yellow paper were distributed to the ladies and the men donned paper hats of every conceivable hue, adding greatly to the gaiety of the scene.

An interesting feature of the printed program was a diagram of the location of the tables and the names of the persons occupying them, while the Reception committee added to the sociability of the evening by making every body acquainted with their neighbors.

During the program refreshments were sold, the young ladies of the village acting as waitresses.

The grand march which followed the entertainment was led by President and Mrs. Kingman and began the dancing which continued until midnight. There was an exhibition of fancy dancing by Miss Gladys Keesler and Mr. William A. Wellman.

The Village Night committee was headed by Mr. Frank L. Robb and as chairman, Mr. Maurice Wrigley as treasurer, and the following sub-committees:

Hall and Music—A. H. Elder, Chairman, Edgar J. Smith, William J. Cozens, Fred S. Fairchild.

Entertainment and Special Features—C. F. Johnson, Jr., Chairman, Edwin S. Drowne, Edgar J. Smith.

Program and Publicity—E. C. Johnson, Chairman, John Segerman, Maurice Wrigley, Ray Huntsman.

Reception—Charles W. Mercer, Chairman, Raleigh B. Adams, J. Weston Allen, Irving M. Atwood, Henry W. Ball, Edward P. Bosson, E. Channing Boue, Albert H. Elder, James P. Emmett, Emil H. Haberstroh, Ernest G. Hapgood, Edwin C. Johnson, George B. King, James Kingman, Francis E. P. Levi, Clarence H. Lingham, George H. Mellen, Jr., Howard E. Morse.

Chester W. Nichols, John S. Patton, Jr., William H. Raye, Frank L. Richardson, Stephen A. Smith, Ritchie H. Stevens, John R. Sweeney, Paul Tewksbury, Theodore L. Tewksbury, Richard S. True, Jr., Henry E. Warren, Maurice Wrigley.

Candy Table—Mrs. Frank L. Richardson, Chairman, Mrs. E. C. Boue, Mrs. A. H. Elder, Mrs. J. R. Emmett, Mrs. F. R. Hayward, Mrs. Frederick Badger, Mrs. C. E. Mercer, Mrs. J. B. Studley, Mrs. J. D. Thompson, Miss Vera Waterhouse, Mrs. Maurice Wrigley.

Refreshments—Mrs. J. H. Turnbull, Chairman, Mrs. E. E. Hills, Mrs. Charles Johnson, Mrs. Seward W. Jones, Mrs. W. W. Osgood, Mrs. J. R. Phelps, Mrs. William Simpson, E. P. Bosson, David Hills, John R. Sweeney.

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A wide circle of friends and acquaintances will mourn the death of Mr. Winfield S. Slocum, for his life in this city for nearly a half century has been characterized by a kindness of spirit, a genial and modest personality, and the finest attributes of a Christian gentleman. He has served the city as its chief law officer with ability and skill and with the fundamental idea of justice to everyone. He has served his church with fidelity, earnestness and reverence, and he has served his immediate community as a good neighbor and friend. His life has been an example to the youth of our city and its fragrant memory will remain with us for many years to come.

The many expressions of appreciation and congratulations heard this week on the celebration of the thirty-fifth anniversary of the pastorate of Rev. Julian C. Jaynes at the West Newton Unitarian Church, are richly deserved. Mr. Jaynes has won not only the respect, but the love and good will of the city by his ability as a preacher, his enthusiasm and power as a pastor and his genial personality as a man. May he long continue in the good work in which he has been engaged during the past generation.

To talk by telephone across the entire continent is one of the notable achievements of the century and the fact that one of the persons engaged in this momentous feat was the same person who heard the first words ever uttered over a telephone wire, adds a touch of sentiment to the affair and indicates how recently this necessary convenience has been at our command. The men who have made this important event possible deserve the grateful appreciation of every good citizen.

Petitions are now in circulation asking the Public Service Commission to order the Boston Elevated Company to restore the thru service from Nonantum square to Cambridge, and are receiving many signatures. Any one interested in this matter who has not yet seen the petitions, may have their names added to the list by sending a postal to that effect to Mr. Arthur Kendrick, 45 Hunnewell avenue, Newton.

Newton Highlands shows the right community spirit in holding a Village Night and it is to be hoped that the other villages may show signs of similar life in the near future. There is nothing which will advance the mutual interests of every community, like neighborliness and sociability.

UNDER THE GILDED DOME

The committee on Cities gave a hearing last Friday morning on the bill of ex-mayor John A. Fenno and others that the city of Newton might pay \$1000 to Nellie L. Heath, and subsequently reported favorably on the bill.

Tax Commissioner Trefry, as usual, in his annual report, calls attention to our antiquated system of taxation and to the fact that our industrial communities pay too much state tax and our residential communities too little. The report says,

"It appears that, as compared with 1912, the revenue of the Commonwealth derived from all sources except the State tax has shrunk 3.02 per cent. Meantime the appropriations made by the Legislature have increased 16 percent and the State tax has increased 15 percent. With the great increase in the appropriations made by the Legislature no new sources of revenue have been discovered."

Making San Francisco A Near Neighbor.

The mechanical wonders that made Trans-Atlantic Telephoning possible—especially Pupin and his boosters.

Professor W. Z. Ripley on the B. & M. Outlook.

Harvard's authority on Railroad Organization, shows the way of the situation, broadly viewed.

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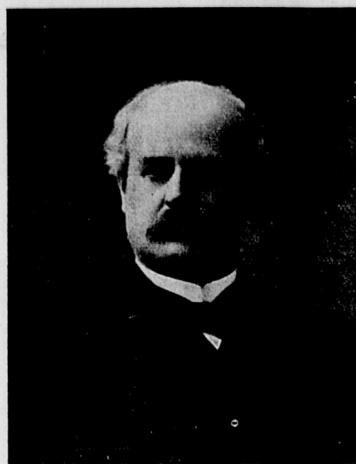
Boston Transcript

January 30th, 1915.

DEATH OF MR. SLOCUM

City Solicitor of Newton For Many Years Expired This Morning

Mr. Winfield Scott Slocum, for many years city solicitor of Newton, died early this morning at his home on Walnut street, Newtonville, after a serious illness of several months. Mr. Slocum has been in poor health for some years, but became much worse last fall and submitted to an operation at a Brookline Hospital, returning home several weeks ago.



THE LATE WINFIELD S. SLOCUM

Mr. Slocum was born in Grafton, Mass., May 1, 1848, and was the son of William F. and Margaret (Tinker) Slocum. He received his education in the schools of Grafton and graduated from Amherst College in 1869. He then studied law in the office of Slocum and Staples and was admitted to the bar of Suffolk County Oct. 21, 1871, and to the bar of the United States Circuit Court Nov. 18, 1875. Upon his admission to the Massachusetts bar he formed a co-partnership with his father, which continued until the death of the elder Mr. Slocum in 1896, since which time he has conducted the business himself. The family came to Newtonville in 1868 and in 1874-1877 he was a member of the school committee of this city. In 1881 was elected

Newton Centre

—Miss Julia E. Preble of Grant avenue is spending a few days in Bangor, Me.

—Mr. Charles C. Lamson of Cypress street is spending a few days in Wareham.

—Mrs. George A. Keith is ill at her home on Trowbridge street with the grip.

—Mr. Charles C. Johnson of New Britain, Conn., is visiting friends on Walnut street.

—Mrs. John Vachon of Quebec is visiting her son, Mr. James Vachon, on Warren street.

—Master Alfred Brayton is ill at his home on Cypress street with the whooping cough.

—Mr. Robert L. Hopkins of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting his parents on Beacon street for a few days.

—Mr. Wallace C. Graham of St. John, N. B., is the guest of his brother on Montvale road this week.

—Mr. Bruce McKay of Iowa is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. H. Murray, on Trowbridge street for a few days.

—Mr. R. M. Saltonstall of Chestnut hill has been re-elected a director in the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co.

—Mrs. D. A. Ferguson has returned to her home on Pelham street after a short trip to the western part of the state.

—Mrs. G. Richard Perry (Dorothy Loring) entertained friends at carus last Friday afternoon at her home on Morsefield avenue.

—The monthly official board meeting of the Methodist Church was held last Monday evening in the trustees' room of the church.

—Mr. Arnold Di Sazio of Langley road has taken the position of sexton of the Unitarian Church, in place of Mr. David Clark of Pelham street who has held the position for many years.

—While Mr. William E. Hickey was working near one of his horses last Monday the horse became frightened and kicked Mr. Hickey in the stomach.

—He was removed to his home on Beech place, where he is slowly recovering.

—Francis Daly, who is employed by Holden's stable, was thrown from a sleigh at the corner of Beacon and Centre streets late Tuesday night and injured about the head and legs. He was taken to his home on Walnut street in the police ambulance.

—Last Sunday evening at the Methodist Church, President L. H. Murrin of Boston University spoke on "Impressions from Petrograd." He came under the auspices of the Epworth League, and the service was in charge of the league, Wesley Elliott, the president, presiding.

—The death of Mr. James S. Carey occurred last Tuesday morning at his home on Parker street, after a lingering illness. The deceased was 92 years old and resident of this village for many years. The funeral services were held this afternoon from his late home and the body shipped to Marblehead for interment.

—The death of Mrs. John Chinnery occurred last Wednesday on Newbury street, Boston, at the home of her daughter. Previous to her removal to Boston she had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Emma F. Hayward of the Grafton. The funeral services were held yesterday in Boston and the body was sent to Nantucket for burial.

—There will be a musical service in Trinity Church on Sunday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock. Special music chosen from standard church compositions will be rendered by the choir, under the direction of Mr. Lansing G. Putnam, choir master. The choir will be assisted by Miss Beatrice W. Pray, violinist. The public are invited. The offering will be devoted to the new organ for the new church.

West Newton

—Mrs. Lucia M. Freeman has removed to New York. Franklin Metcalf is reported ill at his home in Webster park.

—Mrs. F. S. Blodgett of Hillside avenue is in New York for a few weeks. —Mr. Glover S. Hastings of Otis street has gone South on a business trip.

—Mr. H. M. Wheelock of Highland street has returned from a trip in the west.

—Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Doane Chase are speaking this week at Fitchburg, Mass.

—Mr. R. G. Elkins of Highland street has returned from a visit at Portland, Me.

—Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Witherbee of Temple street entertained at dinner on Monday evening.

—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pickhardt of Highland avenue gave a dancing party on Thursday evening.

—Mrs. C. F. Eddy and the Misses Eddy of Cherry street left on Wednesday for Ormond Beach, Fla.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. Stuart Pratt of Highland street entertained the Game Club on Tuesday evening.

—The young married people gave a masquerade party at the Neighborhood Club on Friday evening.

—Miss Elizabeth D. Hinckley has closed her residence on Exeter street and is a guest at the Highland Villa.

—The directors of the West Newton Day Nursery will hold a reception on Thursday afternoon from 3 until 5.

—At the annual meeting this week of the Boston Druggists' Association, Mr. George H. Ingraham was re-elected treasurer.

—Mr. E. C. Adams of Lenox street who has been seriously ill at the Corey Hill Hospital, Brookline, is reported as improving.

—Members of the Dancing Supper Club motored up to Billerica over the week end and gave a dinner-dance at the Billerica Inn.

—The Allen School boys gave a sleigh ride and dance at the Wellesley Inn for the Allen School girls Wednesday evening.

—Senator George H. Ellis was a speaker Monday night at the Men's Club of the Beacon Universalist Church at Brookline.

—Garden City Y. P. B. held a magazine social Wednesday evening at the home of Dr. N. Louise Rand, Austin street. The literature will be sent to the sailors.

—At the annual meeting of the Congregational Club of Boston this week, Mr. Wallace C. Boyden of Hillside avenue was elected on the membership committee.

—Mrs. James A. Neal and Mrs. Robert W. Williamson entertained the members of the Journey Club on Thursday afternoon at Mrs. Neal's residence on Beacon street, Brookline.

—Miss Rose Livingstone, "the Angel of Chinatown," and Mrs. Myron B. Vorce of Cleveland, who is a forceful speaker on social problems affecting women, will speak on Sunday evening, February 1st, at the Lincoln Park Baptist Church.

—John Eliot Lodge, A. O. U. W., will have an installation of officers on Tuesday evening, February 2nd. P. G. M. W. Charles J. Adcock and suite of Waltham, will be present to do the work. A large number of visitors will be present and as John Eliot Lodge is known for his hospitality, a pleasant time is anticipated.

—At the annual meeting of the Boston Manufacturers Mutual Fire Insurance Company this week, at which Mr. Joseph P. Gray of Winthrop street was re-elected president, Mr. Gray made an interesting address in which he placed the blame for the Salem flagrant on the owners of the building in which the fire started and the insurance companies which insured it.

—Mrs. A. J. George addressed the meeting of the West Newton Educational Club held last week on Wednesday in Players Hall. The next meeting will be held on February 26th and the Newton Equal Suffrage League, will send a speaker, whose name will be announced later, and who will answer all questions that remained unanswered at the last meeting.

—At the Lincoln Park Baptist Church Sunday evening at 7.30, the service will be under the auspices of the West Newton Woman's Christian Temperance Union. Mrs. Lily C. Case, a Burman missionary, will speak on "Co-operation between Missions and Temperance." Good music will be furnished by a mixed quartet. All are cordially invited to attend.

—Mrs. Belle N. Cleaveland, the wife of Mr. Henry G. Cleaveland, who were for many years residents of Shaw street, died quite suddenly last Friday from the result of a paralytic stroke, at her home in Montclair, N. J. Mrs. Cleaveland, while a resident of this village was active in the Congregational Church and in the social events of the community. She was 62 years of age and is survived by her husband and one son, Mr. Walter A. Cleaveland of Montclair. The funeral services and burial were at Oneida, N. Y.

Auburndale

—Miss Bertha Whitman of Roxbury was a guest over the week-end of Miss Gertrude E. Wightman of Maple street.

—The Searchlight Club of the Congregational Church held a meeting Monday afternoon at the residence of Miss Dorothy Drew.

—On Tuesday, the feast of the Presentation of Christ, there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at the Church of the Messiah at 9 A. M.

—Rev. Mr. Beal and Messrs. Heckman and Turner represented the Church of the Messiah at the arch-deaconry meeting in Concord, Thursday.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of the NEWTON CEMETERY CORPORATION will be held in the new office building at the Cemetery on Wednesday, February 3, 1915, at four o'clock, P. M., for the election of Trustees for the ensuing year, to hear reports of officers and Trustees, and to transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting. Lot owners are earnestly requested to be present.

G. W. AURYANSEN, Clerk.
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The Auburndale Village Improvement Society held the fourth of a series of entertainments in Norumbega Hall, Monday and Tuesday evenings of this week. The entertainment was in the nature of a County Fair with all the attractions which go to make up a first class exhibition of this kind. As usual the hall was crowded to its capacity on each evening.

The Midway with its attractions was a most interesting feature of the occasion. A Punch and Judy Show was received with roars of laughter from old and young alike, and the horse race between Spearmint and Fashion Plate for the Meadow Brook cup was quite as exciting in its way as the carniot race in "Ben-Hur."

The stage arrangements for the balloon ascension and its accompanying triple-parachute jump were most ingenious, while the greased pole climbing and the grand firemen's muster with the celebrated hand tub "Triton No. 3", were in a class by themselves.

The familiar figures of a county fair were all present and each received their full measure of applause from admiring friends in the audience. The dancing of the Indian maidens, Maniqua and Westamo, represented by the Bourne sisters, was carried out with the usual grace and finish of these popular young ladies. The play was filled with clean local hits and the whole affair was a distinct departure from the usual entertainments in these courses.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST: Monday, Tiger Angora Cat, with broad black stripe down back. Answers to name of Pluff. Return to Mrs. Joseph C. Atkinson, 251 Crafts St., Newtonville, and receive reward.

LOST: On Christmas day, between Shaw and Regent streets, West Newton, via Winthrop, Putnam, Highland, Otis and Fountain, a baby's blue and white crocheted sacque. Please return to F. W. Sprague, 28 Regent street.

LOST: A gold Swiss Watch (Lounge) make with monogram M. M. T. somewhere on Park street, Park avenue, or Cotton street. Will the finder please return to Mildred Taylor, 58 Elmhurst road, Newton, and receive reward. Tel. N. N. 205.

LOST: King Charles Spaniel, medium brown and white, missing since Dec. 24, weighs about 9 pounds. Strap collar, License No. 675. Liberal reward for return to Newton Graphic Office.

LOST: Sunday afternoon, getting off Lower Falls car at Houghton's corner, West Newton, a beaded hand bag. Reward for its return to 41 Highland street, West Newton.

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Mr. Carl Fowler of Williams street has accepted a position at Newark, N. J.

The Gamma Phi Sigma met Wednesday evening with Mr. Ralph Forsythe of Church street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fowler of Newtonville are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

The Friday evening meetings at Eliot Church are interesting and uplifting. The attendance is increasing. All are welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Garrity of Arlington street are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Robert Cuthbert Garrity.

Mr. John T. Pyle of Hudson's Pharmacy is ill at the Newton Hospital, where he was operated on Monday for appendicitis.

Mrs. William F. Plant of Cotton street was a guest over the week end of Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Van Tassel, Jr., of Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Hills and family have returned from Chicago and are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Bailey of Surrey road.

Mr. Franklin W. Gansse addressed the meeting of the Young People's Christian Association, on Sunday evening at Eliot Church.

Mrs. A. R. Bailey of Richardson street is one of the councillors chosen at the annual meeting of the Fathers and Mothers' Club held in Boston on Tuesday.

The Eliot Young People's Association will hold a Pop Concert Wednesday evening, Feb. 3rd in Eliot Chapel for the benefit of the needy in our own city.

Mr. Charles Swain Thomas, master of the English department at the Newton High School, gave an address Tuesday night at Channing Church on "Morals in the Schools."

Mrs. Harry C. Wiggins and Miss Brown were among the guests at the tea given by Mrs. Edwin S. Crandon on Saturday afternoon from 4 until 6, at her residence in Cambridge.

The annual banquet of the Girls' Friendly Society of Grace Church was held last evening in the parish house. It was a most enjoyable occasion and there was an attendance of more than sixty.

Mrs. Frederick W. Burrows entertained at bridge on Tuesday afternoon at her residence on Eldredge street. Three tables were arranged and the game was auction bridge. The first prize was taken by Mrs. George Owen.

Mr. Harold Bretz of Centre street, the former champion tennis player at Yale, has the sympathy of his friends in his recent accident at Chestnut Hill, where he sustained a sprained ankle playing tennis.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet with Mrs. Irving U. Townsend, 140 Church street, Thursday, February 4, at 2.30 o'clock. Address by Mrs. W. E. Birdsall. Subject, "The Challenge of Today."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Hopewell of Park street and Mr. and Mrs. John R. Simpson of Eldredge street have sent out cards for a dance on Thursday evening, February 11th, in the Princess ball room at Hotel Somerset.

Petitions for restoration of thru electric car service between Nonantum square and Cambridge are being circulated and any one interested can have his name added by sending a post card to Mr. Arthur Kendrick, 45 Hunnewell avenue.

The meeting of the Men's Club of Grace Church was held Monday evening in the parish house. Mr. James A. Richardson, former first Sergeant in the United States Army, gave an interesting address on "Thirty-Five Years' Experience."

The Young People's Christian Association will give a pop concert and dramatic and musical entertainment on Wednesday evening in the church parlors. The affair will be in charge of Miss Elsa Harrington, Miss Martha Gifford, Philip Horne, Linton Kerr and Eldredge Peterson.

Mr. Andrew Murphy, for many years employed as a gardener in this village, died last Sunday at his home on Oakland street at the age of 64 years. He is survived by a widow, a son and a daughter. Funeral services were held yesterday morning with a regular high mass at the Church of Our Lady and the interment was at Waltham.

A Vaudeville-Dansant will be given this evening at 8 o'clock in the parish house of Grace Church by the young people, under the direction of Miss Gladys Forbush. The program will include exhibitions in modern society dancing, the Castle Walk, Fox Trot, etc., by Miss Marguerite Collins and Mr. Edwin Fairweather; Edward S. Wheeler will sing "Senora," and Miss Eleanor Wheeler will dance a Spanish dance in costume; a pantomime, "The Indian's Revenge," will be given by Mr. William M. Fawcette, who takes the part of "Hero"; Mr. Charles Davenport, the "Heroine"; Mr. Edward Cutler, the "Chief"; Bradford Story, the "Indian Spy"; and Cyril Forbush, the "Storekeeper." At the close of the entertainment refreshments will be served and dancing will follow.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. Warren W. Marston wishes to announce that he has opened an office at 460 Centre street, Newton, Mass., in connection with his present one at 337 Washington street, Newton, Mass.

ADVT.

On Thursday evening at Forester's Hall, Oak Lodge, A. O. U. W., and Naom Lodge, Degree of Honor held a joint installation. The following officers of Naom Lodge were in-

GOLD PRIZES NEXT WEEK

(Continued from page 1.)

"Blue Certificates" have to be in the counting room to be of any use in extending the totals.

But few of the certificate votes figure in the standings today and this is occasioned by the non-return of the blue votes.

NEW NOMINATIONS

Grace Bradley, Edinboro street, Newville. 5000
Elsie Carter, 59 Churchill Ave., Nville. 5000
Marie Chaplin, Putnam St., W. Newton. 5000

District One—Newton ONE FREE TRIP

NAME	VOTES
Ethel Craig, 287 Centre Street	15300
Marjorie Webster, 337 Washington Street	6550
Elizabeth Horsfall, Newton Library	15500
Marguerite Collins, 51 Bennington Street	7575
Mrs. Lilla Bower, 11 Orchard Street	15725
Helen Mead, 396 Centre Street	6750
Frances M. Prescott, 34 Channing Street	15000
Mary G. Chase, Hunnewell Avenue	8050

District Two—Newtonville and Nonantum ONE FREE TRIP

NAME	VOTES
Evelyn Hammond, 30 Walker Street	8575
Marie Bartlett, 101 Madison Avenue	6250
Grace Walker, 843 Washington Street	5275
Grace Clark, 195 Austin Street	6150
Mrs. H. G. Hatchell, 821 Washington Street	5625
Grace Somers, 128 Lowell Avenue	7750
Marguerite Brant, 11 Oakwood Road	6250
Mrs. Paul R. Knight, 34 Austin Street	8750
Dorothy Hamilton, 403 Walnut Street	9250
Agnes Brady, 18 Gay Street	8125
Ruth Johnson, 215 Vernon Street	7150
Catharine Walton, 19 Linwood Avenue	8275
Effie Terrio, 267 Pearl Street	6550

District Three—West Newton, Auburndale and Lower Falls ONE FREE TRIP

NAME	VOTES
Maud Withington, 2007 Commonwealth Ave.	15550
Lulu Glazier, 37 River Street	15275
May A. Clancy, 109 River Street	6125
Mary Barker, 22 Perkins Street	6250
Martha Brown, 21 Columbus Place	7025
Edna Bryson, Cherry Place	6250
Mrs. M. Millie Beardsley, 108 Crescent Street, Aub.	15575
Edith Jacobs, 125 Auburndale Avenue	8550
Lucy Turner, 42 Maple Street, Aub.	6750

District Four—Newton Centre, Thompsonville and Chestnut Hill ONE FREE TRIP

NAME	VOTES
Adelaide S. Thompson, 1181 Centre Street	9175
Sarah Hurst, 177 Langley Road	7250
Grace Macomber, 219 Homer Street, N. C.	5200
Mary McQuinn, 37 Pelham Street, N. C.	5350
Ada S. Moore, 51 Clinton Place, N. C.	5500

District Five—Newton Highlands, Waban and Newton Upper Falls ONE FREE TRIP

NAME	VOTES
Mrs. A. B. Conneary, 1267 Beacon Street	6150
Fanny McGee, Waban	5375
Alberta J. Crombie, Columbus St., N. H.	5925
Grace Penney, 19 Dickerman Road	6250
Olga Ayer, 23 Lakewood Road, N. H.	6250
Ruby C. Hull, 1129 Boylston Street, U. F.	5550
Jane Locke, 35 Oak Street, U. F.	7525
Ruby Viets, 14 Delmore Road, N. H.	6250

LODGES

Sumner P. Lawrence Rebekah Lodge of Newtonville, held their installation last evening with the following officers: Pearl E. Forbes, N. G.; Marilla Baxter, V. G.; Bertha McKay, R. S.; Helen Merriam, F. S.; May Sweett, Treas. Past Noble Grand Minnie R. Plaisted received a beautiful jewel from her many friends in the lodge as a token of remembrance of her successful year as Noble Grand; she also received a Past Noble Grand Collar.

On Thursday evening at Forester's Hall, Oak Lodge, A. O. U. W., and Naom Lodge, Degree of Honor held a joint installation. The following officers of Naom Lodge were in-

stalled by District Deputy, Mrs. Linda Cochran and suite from Dorchester: Past Chief of Honor, Elizabeth Mitchell; Chief of Honor, Annie Barton; Lady of Honor, Mary Daly; Chief of Ceremonies, Mary Mitchell; Recorder, Amy Truax; Financier, Mary Callanan; Treasurer, Moubay Truax; Usher, Ellen Mitchell; Inner Watch, Mary Loughlin; Outer Watch, Doris Toroff; Representative to Grand Lodge, Elizabeth Mitchell; Alternate to Grand Lodge, Annie Barton; Trustee for three years, Patrick McGuirk; Trustee for two years, Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald and Trustee for one year, Fred Richards.

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The attention of the people of Newton and Newtonville is called to the fact that there are in Nonantum many men, heads of families, who are out of work. Many of them have not been idle before but because of unusual industrial conditions are unable to find anything to do.

The Stearns School has opened an employment bureau and earnestly requests that any one having any work for a man would call Newton North 459. On the list are painters, carpenters, plumbers, mill operatives and laborers, but the men will do any kind of work during these critical times. No appeal is made for charity, but they do ask for a chance to work and earn enough to provide for their families. Some little repairs about the house might be made now as well as a few months later. Do it now. The best time to call is from four to five on any school day.

DIED

CLEAVELAND, In Montclair, N. J., Jan. 22nd, Belle N., wife of Henry G. Cleaveland, formerly of West Newton, Mass.

ALLEN, At Newton, Jan. 26, Sarah A., widow of Alexander Allen, aged 63 yrs., 7 mos., 19 days.

MURPHY, At Newton, Jan. 24, Andrew Murphy, aged 64 yrs.

BEALE, At Nonantum, Jan. 23, John Thomas Beale, aged 48 yrs., 7 mos., 22 days.

TETLOW, At Newton, Jan. 29, Harriet M., widow of George B. Tetlow, aged 70 yrs., 1 mo., 23 days.

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SERAPHINE H. DAVIS, Admrx.
(Address)
24 Pembroke St.,
Newton, Jan. 22d, 1915.

Notice is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed executrix of the will of Albert N. Bulens late of Newton in the County of Middlesex, deceased, testate, and has taken upon herself that trust by giving bond, as the law directs. All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased are hereby required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

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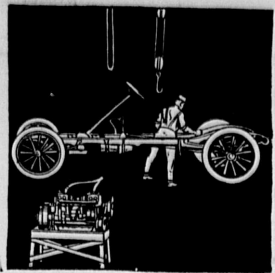
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Newtonville

The annual meeting of the Central Guild was held Tuesday evening in the church parlors.

Mr. Herbert R. Gibbs was the leader of the Adult Class, Sunday, at Central Congregational Church.

Mr. William W. Russell of 849 Washington street moved Monday into the Harcourt store at 841 Washington street.

Mrs. George W. Roope gave a largely attended musicale on Friday evening at her residence on Highland avenue.

Any ladies willing to do knitting for the Belgians or Red Cross Society may secure yarn and directions for its use, free of charge, from Mrs. Don M. Leonard, Albemarle road.

Miss Jenness Upham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Upham of Omar terrace, is recovering from an attack of scarlet fever and was able to return Saturday from the Newton Hospital.

A concert will be given by Rosella Knapp Breed, assisted by Bessie Talbot Salmon, will be given in the Methodist Church on Thursday evening, February 11th, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

The offer of the Graphic to send several Newton ladies to Washington during Easter week, absolutely without expense to them, is arousing considerable interest. Full particulars can be obtained at this office. Inquire for Mr. Curtis.

Mrs. D. B. Wells of Chicago who is well known as a lecturer on Home and Foreign Missions, is giving a series of five days studies on Missions this week at Central Congregational Church, under the auspices of the Interdenominational Committee of Women of the city of Newton.

Miss Rachel Felton has written a very clever problem play, entitled "The Treasure," which was produced at the Sea Pine School last week on Saturday evening and scored a tremendous success. Miss Felton appeared in the leading role, and the play was so well received that it will be repeated by request.

At a mass meeting held Sunday afternoon in Central Congregational Church, Mrs. D. B. Wells of Chicago delivered a very interesting lecture on "The Meaning of the World's Unrest." Rev. A. J. Muste, the pastor, presided over the meeting and Mr. J. Garfield Stone, tenor of Eliot Church quartet, was the soloist.

Boynton Lodge of Odd Ladies held a very successful whist party Tuesday afternoon in Dennison hall. The souvenirs were awarded to Mrs. Newstead, Mrs. Leland, Mrs. Rees, and the consolation prize to Mrs. De Mone. Refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed. The affair was in charge of Mrs. Nellie M. Cook.

Middlesex Court, M. C. O. F., will hold an installation of officers this evening with the aid of Deputy and Degree Staff of Margate Court, South Framingham, in Dennison hall. Refreshments and dancing will follow the installation. The Court has been presented with a banner, having attained the largest number of members of any Court during the present year its membership now numbering 610.

The meeting this evening at Central Church will be devoted to a presentation of the all-important subject of Religious Instruction. Rev. A. J. Muste will speak briefly on "The Relation of the Sunday School to the Church." Mr. Arthur H. Merritt, superintendent of the Sunday School of Pilgrim Church, Dorchester, who has made his school one of the best in the vicinity of Boston, will tell how it is done. During the past five years it has shown a gain of 205 in average attendance. Music will be furnished by the Sunday School Orchestra and light refreshments will be served.

The members of the Newton Social Service League were entertained at a very interesting and largely attended meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. William H. Lucas on Kirkstall road. An instructive and inspiring talk on "What Newton Needs of You," was given by Mrs. William H. Lathrop, a prominent Social Service worker. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served. Mrs. George H. Talbot presided at the tea table and was assisted in serving by Miss Flinders, Miss Webster, Miss Jones and Mrs. David Morley Lodge.

Newton

Mr. John T. Burns is quite ill at his home on Jefferson street.

Telephone MacLean, 725 North, for anything in carpenter line. Adv.

Mr. Lester Hiltz of Bacon street was recently appointed Regent of the Royal Arcanum.

Mrs. William A. Cormier of Walnut park is passing a few months at the Berkshire Hills.

The choir of the Eliot Church will sing Gault's "Holy City" Sunday afternoon at four o'clock.

Mrs. Sadie Newton of Washington, D. C., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Marcus G. Haley of Park street.

A series of special services will be held at the Methodist Church during the week of February seventh.

At the annual meeting of the N. E. Deacons Association held Tuesday Hon. A. R. Weed was chosen counsel.

Miss Helen Mead of Centre street was called to Maine this week on account of the serious illness of her brother.

At the annual meeting this week of the Congregational Club of Boston, Rev. H. Grant Person was elected vice president.

Miss Flora G. Hubbard was the leader of the Epworth League devotional meeting Sunday evening at the Methodist Church.

At the annual meeting Tuesday of the Boston Druggists' Association, Mr. Harry C. Wiggin of Marlboro street was re-elected secretary.

Mrs. William F. Hammett entertained the members of the Cheerful Letter Committee on Wednesday afternoon at her apartments in the Crofton.

The Woman's Association will hold an all day meeting on Wednesday at Immanuel Baptist Church. The speaker will be Mrs. Fred Crawford, President of the New England Branch of the Woman's American Baptist Foreign Missionary Society.

The Foreign Missionary Department of the Woman's Association held an interesting and well attended meeting on Tuesday afternoon in Eliot Church. The subject was "The Child's Birthright," "America in Mohammedan Lands, China and Japan."

"The Country Store" is the title of a one-act comedy which will be presented by the young people of the Methodist Church on Thursday evening, February 4th, at 8 o'clock, in the vestry. Rehearsals are being held under the direction of Miss Grace Leonard, and the play promises to be of intense interest.

Mrs. Clarence C. Colby of No-nantum street and Mrs. Clarence M. Casselberry of Brookline, have sent out cards for an auction bridge on Saturday afternoon, February 6th from two until six, at the residence of Mrs. John Hopewell, on Sargent street, to meet Miss Stiebel of Brookline.

Miss Eliza H. Kendrick, Ph. D., Prof. of Biblical History in Wellesley College, is teaching a very interesting and helpful class in the Eliot Sunday School. The general topic is the Bible as a book of morals and religion. Any one who desires a more thorough knowledge of the Bible and can attend the class 12-1 on Sundays will be welcomed.

The annual meeting of the Eliot Religious Society was held Monday evening in Eliot Chapel. Mayor Childs presided and the following officers were elected: Hon. Edwin O. Childs, clerk; Mr. Charles A. Haskell, treasurer; Mr. Walter H. Barker, auditor; and Mr. Loren D. Towle and Mr. Thomas Weston, Jr., prudential committee for three years.

Members of "The Shakespeare Club," a literary club composed of prominent society ladies of Newton, are giving a series of box parties at the Boston Opera House, to witness the performances of the Henry Jewett Players. On Saturday afternoon they attended the performance of "The Merry Wives of Windsor," and on Wednesday afternoon, "Julius Caesar." Among those who were present were Mrs. John Q. A. Whittemore, Mrs. James W. McIntyre, Mrs. Edgar W. Hodgson, Mrs. Clarence Cheney Smith, Mrs. Edward S. Wheeler, Mrs. William F. Plant, Mrs. Charles Whittemore, Mrs. Edward W. Ransom and Mrs. Freelan O. Stanley.

A PRESIDENTIAL POSSIBILITY

Senator John W. Weeks of this city has been mentioned several times of late as a possible nominee of the Republican party for President. In a recent issue the Washington correspondent of Practical Politics says: "Senator Weeks is another prominent republican who is being talked about as a republican presidential possibility. His splendid constructive work, both in the house and the senate, has attracted the attention of the business men of the country, who would like to see a business man and not a lawyer or college professor in the White House directing affairs of the country."

Mr. Weeks is not carried off his feet by this talk and is quietly pursuing his duty and doing his work with the thoroughness and ability that has always characterized him in private or public life.

And Representative-elect Rodenburg of Illinois comes out this week with the following statement.

Somehow I believe the convention of 1916 is going to nominate a man, who will have in an unusual degree the rare combination of popular esteem among all classes of citizens and the implicit confidence of the business world.

"Within this thought I have a conviction that, responsive to the peculiar conditions which will make demand for such a candidate, we could not do better than to nominate John Wingate Weeks of Massachusetts."

"It is a name to mention without the shadow of a misgiving. Serving his first term in the United States Senate, after eight years in the House, he has demonstrated the highest qualities of capacity as a legislator, duly appreciative of the sphere and responsibilities of the executive branch of the Government. A consistent Republican from a New England State, his career has shown him in no wise sectional or offensively partisan."

While the Washington correspondent of the Boston Transcript adds the following: "Regarding Senator Weeks, it may be said that so far as Washington is concerned, no prospective candidate has a more enthusiastic personal following. Mr. Weeks made in the House a wonderful record of actual accomplishment, and in the Senate he probably has more personal influence than any other man. He long has been regarded as the coming leader of the Senate, but has made no effort to appropriate the title and the work. Progressive Republicans are fond of saying that if a radical cannot be nominated they would prefer Weeks to any other man."

HELP THE BELGIANS

Anyone desiring to render immediate assistance to the Belgian refugees can do so by sending clothing, food, etc., express paid, to William Firth's Warehouse, 15 Columbia street, Boston, Mass.

All kinds of worn clothing accepted. Material suitable for hospital work is urgently needed. Used linen sheets, table cloths, napkins or cotton sheets very acceptable.

Special assistance required for women and children.

Those wishing to send money can do so by addressing same to William Firth, 200 Devonshire street, Boston, Mass. This money will be used for the purchase of underwear and clothing most suitable and required by the Belgian refugees.

Ware-rooms for receiving, packing and shipping furnished free by William Firth.

Weekly shipments: No delays. Goods ready for distribution to the Belgian refugees in Belgium, Great Britain, Holland and France within three weeks from sailing of steamer.

All shipments insured without charge by Messrs. Patterson, Wyld and Windeler, Kilby street, Boston.

RED CROSS

Mrs. George H. Mellen recently received a letter from Dr. Howard W. Beal, lately of Worcester but now Surgeon-in-chief of the American Women's Red Cross Hospital in Paignton, England, which read in part as follows: "Mufflers, Balacava Helmets, Mittens, Cardigans and other knitted things are ever welcome here, as many of our patients return to the Front and we fit them out as well as we can with warm clothes. Matron tells me that woven undershirts and pants are very useful, and you may be sure that anything you are kind enough to send will be appreciated and put to good use."

Mrs. Mellen has shipped this week two cases of books for the library which is in charge of Mrs. Beal, and seventy-nine knitted articles, and desires to make acknowledgment to Mrs. D. C. Brewer, four mufflers, Mrs. Annie Stevens, three pairs socks, B. W. Polley, packing cases, and the Cunard S. S. Co., free transportation.

Another shipment will be made in February and Mrs. Mellen (291 Lake avenue, Highlands) would be grateful for any donations of knitted goods or of money.

Rayner Silver fox companies have an unprecedented record for financial stability. They have no bonded indebtedness; they owe the banks nothing and their total liabilities are in infinitesimal compared with other corporate bodies. Practically their only indebtedness is their capital stock, against which they hold an increasing number of the most valuable animals in the world and their substantial ranch properties. The cost of maintenance and operation is lower than in any other producing industry, while production goes on in war time precisely as if all the world were at peace. In the crash of trust and loan companies, banks, land and mining companies, there has been no hint of a fox company going down, or being in danger of failure. The people of Prince Edward Island have lost a million dollars in six months past, invested in outside corporations that have toppled down; and they cling to their fox company shares with renewed tenacity, knowing that these companies are solvent, and that in a hard year they have paid the highest average returns of any industry in Canada.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

Mr. F. H. Tucker will be the speaker at the Fellowship Club next Monday evening. Supper will be served at 6.30 and Mr. Tucker will speak at seven o'clock.

The members of the Association and their friends are urged to hold the date of February 11th open. The Social Committee is making elaborate preparations for a Pop Concert which will be held on that date. All kinds of refreshments will be served by the ladies of the Auxiliary and a fine musical program rendered by special talent.

The team captained by C. G. Newcomb has started off in the lead in the bowling tournament. Mr. Newcomb has the high three string total and William Cady has high single string and high average.

Boys' Division

Newton won second place in the Greater Boston Athletic Meet held at Boston Tuesday night. Everett came first with 32 points, Newton second with 27 and Boston made a poor third with 21. E. Woodworth and Wansker did good work for Newton.

The Annual Father and Son Banquet will be held Saturday, the thirtieth, at 6 P. M. After the banquet will be a number of toasts followed by an address by Rev. L. C. Wright of Melrose.

At the K. S. G. Club this week Mr. Bascom, the General Secretary, spoke on "Keep a Goin'." Next week "Wireless Messages" will be the subject and speaker will be Mr. F. A. Cummings, the Boys' Work Secretary. These meetings occur every Tuesday at 4.15 in the Association Building and are open to all boys between the ages of 11 and 13.

The Reading Room Campaign closed last week with Team Six, headed by George Jefferson of West Newton, ahead. The individual prize was won by Lawrence H. Hollingsworth.

The Bible Clubs continue to be well attended and although the course is more than half over the interest does not lag at all. The K. S. K. Club is still at the head in the contest for the shield.

The lecture on "Milk the Perfect Food," which was postponed from last week will be held Saturday night, the 30th, at 8 o'clock.

A. O. U. W.

General Hull Lodge, No. 123, Ancient Order of United Workmen of Massachusetts, held its second meeting of the new year at Dennison Hall, Newtonville, on Friday evening, January 22nd, Master Workman Laurence A. Sprague in the chair and a goodly number present, including Deputy G. M. W. Harry Woodward and District Deputy G. M. W. Andrew T. Carlin, who were received officially and who addressed the Lodge in an eloquent and forceful manner. Visitors were present from Newton, Garden City, John Eliot and Needham Lodges. One more application for membership was received, making eight for January, a most encouraging sign of the growth that is to be expected.

Prior to appointing his committees, Master Workman Sprague addressed the Lodge, giving an outline of his plans for the year, which include some innovations and improvements, which will add greatly to the interest of the coming meetings.

The committees include Press, Entertainment and Collations, Bowling, Whist, Membership, Reception and Auditing.

Mr. Charles D. Cabot, chairman of the auditing committee, read the semi-annual report, which showed the Lodge to be in a very flourishing condition, and spoke very flatteringly of the business officers, and the neat and careful manner in which all the records of the Lodge are kept.

General Hull Lodge has gained an enviable reputation, both in the character of its membership, and its helpfulness in remembering in some suitable way those of its members who are in affliction, sorrow or distress. The fraternal spirit is always manifest, a kindly and cordial greeting is extended to all members from other Lodges, and a special effort is now being made to so conduct its affairs during the coming year, as to attract many others to this grand Order, which has, in its thirty-six years of existence paid to the beneficiaries of its deceased members the magnificent sum of over nineteen millions of dollars, besides extending the helping hand to thousands of its members who were in distress and in need of that protective care which this Order always throws around them.

NEW ENGLAND MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

The Insurance Department of Massachusetts has made the triennial examination required by law of the condition and affairs of the Company as of December 31, 1914.

The assets, including mortgages, certificates of stock and all other assets were examined, and found to agree with the items in the trial balance of the Company.

The final paragraphs of the Report of the Examiner to the Insurance Commissioner are as follows: "In concluding this report, it is interesting to note the growth of the company since the last departmental examination. The insurance in force has increased from \$214,520,000 to \$291,457,000; gross assets from \$54,445,298 to \$70,189,834; policy reserve from \$47,520,000 to \$61,345,780."

"That the affairs of the company are honestly and conscientiously administered for the best interests of its members cannot be questioned. By fair dealing and good business management it has been brought to the high place it now occupies among life insurance institutions."

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE—With each successive performance of "Comrade Clay," Mr. Kinkaid's thrilling drama of modern life seems to be drawing its audience from wider and wider public. Quite a feature of the production now are the big box parties which come in nightly, not only from greater Boston but from towns and cities outside of the New England metropolis, to see the play, and discuss it together between acts.

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SUBSCRIPTION BRIDGE

There was an attendance of about 160 guests at the Subscription Bridge parties which were given Tuesday afternoon at West Newton, one at the residence of Mrs. Thomas A. Crimmins on Dartmouth street, and one at the residence of Mrs. Sumner Robinson on Burnham road. Both affairs were given in the interests of the Newton Equal Suffrage League, and were a great success both socially and financially.

Mrs. Crimmins had fourteen tables arranged, and Mrs. Robinson about fifteen, and there were attractive souvenirs at each table.

Interesting addresses on Equal Suffrage, were given by two of the prominent members, Mrs. William Lloyd Garrison, Jr., and Mrs. Stuart Doane Chase.

Mrs. Garrison gave an outline of the meetings of the League and spoke briefly on the question of White Slave Traffic and other social problems by which the workers are confronted. She gave an account of Miss Rose Livingston's life and social service work, and tried to show in a brief way, its relation to Suffrage, and to explain how equal Suffrage is going to help the deplorable conditions that exist, if some sort of legislation can be enforced.

In Suffrage states where the laws are enforced the conditions have been bettered to a very great extent. Mrs. Garrison feels that if women will only take a stand for Peace along with the Suffrage movement, it will be productive of good results, as women have long been considered the conservers of life. She implored those present who were not in sympathy with Suffrage, to take no stand of opposition.

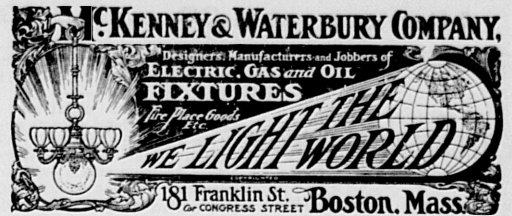
Mrs. Garrison announced a Peace meeting which is going to be held on Saturday noon at the Hotel Somerset, at which Rosika Swimmer, a Hungarian speaker of international prominence, will speak before the Massachusetts Branch of the Woman's Peace Party, of which Jane Addams is the head. Mrs. Stuart Doane Chase, who is an ardent and very successful Social Service worker, gave an intensely interesting account of her recent trip to Rochester, N. Y., and related practical experience in the life of the average working girl. Mrs. Chase obtained employment in a factory, a restaurant, a Ten-Cent Store, and as a piano-player for a moving-picture show, and obtained a vast amount of varied knowledge of the actual conditions surrounding the working girl. She found that many girls are obliged to work 72 hours a week at less than living wage, on specialized work.

Mrs. Chase says that the finest feeling of sympathy and co-operation exists between the working classes themselves, but the employers maintain an attitude of coldness and indifference to their interests. Mrs. Chase is a very charming speaker and is most enthusiastic in the work to which she and her husband are so nobly devoting so much of their time and energy.

EXHIBITION OF UNITED STATES STAMPS

In the entrance hall of the Public Library will be found two cases containing an exhibition of U. S. stamps from the first issue of 1847, bearing the portrait of Benj. Franklin, down through the introduction of perforations, the adapting of a new design as a protection against the seceding states, going on to the locomotive design of 1869. The Houston statue design of Washington's head was then used again for three different contracts. The first two cent rate went into effect in 1883. Ten years later comes the world-famed Columbian Issue, celebrating the 40th anniversary of America's discovery and also drawing attention to the Chicago Exposition. This set is complete and uncanceled. In 1894 the Government assumed the preparation and issued the first Government made stamp Oct. 5th. The design of 1890 was used with the addition of small triangles in the upper corners, beginning the series known as the triangle stamps. The Trans-Mississippi Exposition at Omaha, the Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo, the commemoration of the Louisiana Purchase Centennial, the Landing at Jamestown in 1607 and the Centennial of Lincoln's birth which brought forth an issue bearing the portrait of Lincoln taken from St. Gaudens statue, and lastly an Alaskan-Yukon and Panama-Pacific Exposition issue may all be seen, represented with excellent copies. There is also an interesting collection of the Parcel Post, Telegraph and Revenue stamps.

This exhibition has been compiled by the members of the Library Philatelic Club from their own individual collections and it is hoped that all who are interested in stamps will take the opportunity to inspect the collection, which will be on view thru February.



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NEWTON ROSE CONSERVATORIES

Newtonville

Mr. F. N. Wales of Bower street is recovering from his recent illness.

Rev. F. M. Sheldon will lead the Adult Class next Sunday at Central Church.

Mr. Arthur P. Felton of Highland avenue left Tuesday for a month's sojourn at Jamaica.

Mrs. Albion C. Brown entertained Mrs. William C. Hale of Weymouth Bluffs at luncheon on Thursday at the Highland Villa.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin E. Wakefield and family of Highland avenue are moving into their new home on Newtonville avenue.

Mr. Richard W. Nason of Bates' Grocery is ill at the Newton Hospital, where he was operated on last Friday for appendicitis.

Miss Miriam Kimball of Gray Birch terrace has returned to Bath, Maine, where she is conducting classes in modern dancing.

Mr. George W. Abbott of Mt. Vernon street is ill at the Newton Hospital where he was operated on this week for appendicitis.

At the annual meeting of the N. E. Deacons Association this week, Mr. Theodore A. Hildreth was elected corresponding secretary.

At the annual meeting of the Fathers' and Mothers' Club in Boston, held this week, Prof. James B. Taylor was elected a councillor.

Don't forget the Colonial Sale on Friday, February 5th at the Newton Club, under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's Church.

Miss Vesta Almy of Little Compton, R. I., will be entertained until late in the Spring, by her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Bemis Fisher of Austin street.

Mr. Edward E. Allen, director of the Perkins Institution for the Blind, gave an interesting address on the work of the Institution, at the meeting of the Men's Forum, Sunday evening at the Methodist Church. Miss Alice Nelson was leader of the Ladies' Class, and the subject was "Gideon and the Three Hundred."

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BOSTON, January 27, 1915.
On the Petition of the Middlesex and Boston Street Railway Company for approval of location for poles in Washington street between Centre street and Court street and in Centre and Hall streets in the city of Newton, established under an order of the board of aldermen of said city dated December 29, 1914, the Commission will give a hearing to the parties in interest at its office, No. 1 Beacon Street, Boston, on Monday, the first day of February, next, at ten-thirty o'clock in the forenoon.
And the petitioner is required to give notice of said hearing by publication hereof once prior to said date in the Newton Graphic, a newspaper published in Newton, to serve a copy hereof on the City of Newton, and to make return of service at the time of hearing.
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RECEPTION TO REV. JAMES C. SHARP

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Angier opened their home at 25 Pine Ridge road for a reception to Reverend and Mrs. James Clement Sharp, Wednesday evening, the occasion being the Tenth Anniversary of Mr. Sharp's pastorate at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Waban.

Mr. and Mrs. Sharp and Mr. and Mrs. Angier received from eight until ten o'clock and nearly two hundred guests passed through the spacious rooms. The rooms were decorated with a profusion of cut flowers and an orchestra stationed in the reception hall furnished music for the evening. Refreshments were served to the large company in the dining-room during the evening and the happy event will be long remembered. The Church of the Good Shepherd has been very prosperous during the pastorate of Mr. Sharp increasing membership and in church attendance and sometimes taxing the capacity of the church as was instanced last Sunday when the church was crowded.

Mr. Sharp has increased the number of church organizations during his stay; his Men's Club, this year under the presidency of Mr. Herbert O. Stetson being a great addition to the social life of Waban and an excellent medium for the introduction of newcomers to Waban.

The entertainments of this club are a feature of the season in Waban and are of excellent character.

The Boys' Club of which Lewis Bacon, Jr., is now president, holds fortnightly meetings during the winter at which topics of interest to the boys are discussed by the members and a social time enjoyed. The boys of this club are taught to take interest in dumb animals and the Pet Stock Shows of the club initiated at the suggestion of Mr. Angier and with his liberal support have won a little more than local repute.

The Women's Guild is very active in benevolent work, meeting every week and this year working for Red Cross and Belgian Relief and not forgetting charities nearer home as evidenced by their work for Boston City Missions. The Guild has always shown an interest in the poor whites of the southern mountain districts and makes yearly contributions for their relief.

The Guild also adds much to the social life of Waban. Mrs. Edmund Winchester is president, and there are over seventy members. The Junior Auxiliary serves to interest the young girls in church work and Miss Lillian Pinigree is president. Mr. Sharp also has a corps of willing workers in his Altar Guild Society of which Miss Ruth Willis is president. Mr. Sharp's plans for the future include a Parish House and with the enthusiastic support which Mr. Sharp receives, this will probably be a realization of the near future.

All Waban hopes that when another ten years shall have rolled by that Mr. Sharp will still be pastor of the Church of the Good Shepherd and continuing his good work for Waban.

Waban

—Mr. Arthur Wilson of Woodward street is on a few weeks' business trip to Pennsylvania.

—Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Hills of Chicago have taken a house at 448 Woodward street.

—Mr. William Oakes of Upland road has been confined to the house by illness the past few days.

—Mr. H. C. Walker and family are occupying their recently completed house on Hereford road.

—Miss Jane Bacon of Chestnut street has been confined to the house by illness for a few days.

—Mr. Carlyle Patterson of Moffat road is on a several weeks' business trip through the Southern States.

—Mr. and Mrs. William F. Lamb of Beacon street have been confined to the house by illness the past week.

—Mr. C. McHale of Beacon street has purchased a location at Framingham and is to enter the market and grocery business at that place.

—Mrs. J. B. Cook and family, for many years residents of Waban, have this week removed to Chestnut Hill avenue in the Brighton district of Boston.

—Mrs. Louis W. Arnold was temporary chairman at the meeting held this week in South Hadley to organize a Graduate Council of Mt. Holyoke alumni.

—The members of the Young People's League are invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cutter next Sunday afternoon, and there will be no meeting in the evening that day.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Breck of Beacon street entertained at bridge last Friday evening with twelve tables, and a most enjoyable evening was spent. The affair was under the auspices of the Ladies Circle.

—The offer of the Graphic to send several Newton ladies to Washington during Easter week, absolutely without expense to them, is arousing considerable interest. Full particulars can be obtained at this office. Inquire for Mr. Curtis.

—Given under the auspices of the Church of the Good Shepherd and the Union Church and with the best of local talent in the cast, "A Scrap of Paper," to be given in the Union Church vestry the evenings of February 5th and 6th, promises to draw full houses both nights.

CITY HALL

At a special meeting of the aldermen held Monday evening to draw jurors, the names of Herbert E. Smith, of Auburndale, John O. Koraback of Newton Centre and Charles W. Sabin, Jr. of Chestnut Hill were drawn for the civil session at Cambridge and Carl T. Whittemore of Newton, John Lane of Nonantum, Charles King of Newtonville, Chauncey W. Conn of Auburndale and Joseph W. Moore of Newton Highlands were drawn for the criminal session.

Mayor Childs was elected a member of the executive committee of the Mayors' Club of Massachusetts at the recent annual meeting.

WOMEN'S CLUBS

MISS GRACE M. BURT, Editor

The Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs is undertaking a new departure,—that of sending out a monthly bulletin containing all the announcements of the Federation and of the departments for the month, in place of sending so many separate communications to the clubs. The February issue will appear about the middle of next week, but hereafter it may be looked upon the first day of the month. The attention of the club presidents is called to this new publication that they may understand its significance and take from it the announcements for their clubs.

The advantage of such a publication is so evident that comment is almost superfluous, yet it will be necessary for the presidents to bear in mind that the notices contained in the bulletin will be the only ones sent to them and that they must have it at each meeting of their clubs during the month.

In the February number there will be a Foreword by Mrs. George W. Perkins, president of the Federation, the call for the Mid-Winter meeting and the complete calendar of department events and such Federation notes for which there remains space. This is a wise centralization of energy and information on the part of the Federation and may it meet with a hearty response on the part of the clubs.

Local Announcements

On Saturday afternoon, Jan. 30, the Newton Highlands Shakespeare Club meets with Mrs. W. J. Bicknell of Erie avenue.

The Newton Mothers Club has sent out invitations for a musicale to be held at the home of Mrs. John J. Mitchell, 38 Balcarras road, West Newton, on Monday afternoon, Feb. first, at 3 o'clock.

The Newton Highlands Monday Club will hold its meeting with Mrs. W. E. Bowen of Chester street, on Feb. 1st.

On Monday afternoon the C. L. S. C. of Newton Highlands meets with Mrs. Robert Clark.

The regular meeting of the Newton Parliamentary Law Club will be held at the Newton Library on Tuesday morning, Feb. 2, at 10.15.

On Feb. 2nd the Auburndale Woman's Club will meet at the Woodland Park Hotel. The President of the various clubs in Newton and vicinity are invited as guests. There will be a formal reception, and music will be furnished by the orchestra through the courtesy of the hotel. Miss Lucine Finch, a young southern girl, will give an impersonation of her old colored Mammy, her songs and stories. The club is especially fortunate in securing Miss Finch and it is hoped that a very large attendance will show the members' appreciation of Mr. and Mrs. Miller's gracious hospitality.

Dr. Charles R. Brown, dean of the Yale School of Religion, will lecture before the Newtonville Woman's Guild on Tuesday afternoon upon "The Greatest Man of the Nineteenth Century."

The Social Science Club will hold its monthly business meeting on Wednesday morning.

On Wednesday afternoon the Pierian Club meets with Mrs. Easterbrook.

Local Happenings

On Friday, Jan. 22, the regular meeting of the West Newton Women's Educational Club was held in Players' Small Hall, the program being in charge of the Suffrage committee, Mrs. McLean, chairman. Mrs. Andrew J. George of Brookline was the speaker of the afternoon and in clever manner she presented the subject from the Anti-Suffrage point of view. Following the address for twenty minutes the audience were privileged to ask the speaker questions.

The Newton Highlands Shakespeare Club spent an enjoyable afternoon recently with Miss Albert J. Cronin as hostess and Mrs. E. J. Smith in charge of the work. Mrs. Smith took up the point of view of the drama itself, King Henry VIII, bringing out the main action of the play, reverting to the motive in the opening act, which prompted the subsequent characterization.

She showed that the underlying theme of the play was the study of the political side of the Reformation,—the throwing off of the Catholic domination and the emerging of England into an independent power. The chief will of the play was Wolsey. His striving for the Papal seat in Rome was portrayed, giving his conflicts with the nobles, with Katherine, and with King Henry and his following downfall when Henry asserts his independence.

On Jan. 25 at the meeting of the Newton Highlands Monday Club "American Short Stories" were the subject of study. Mrs. Godsoe, Mrs. Bosson and Mrs. Drowne considering the work of Hawthorne, O. Henry, Sarah Orne Jewett, Margaret Deland, John Kendrick Bangs. Miss Edith Brayton Briggs read several selections from these story writers.

At the home of Mrs. Wiswall of Hillside road on Monday the Newton Highlands C. L. S. C. enjoyed a Current Events afternoon under the direction of Mrs. Swift. Among the topics considered by her were the war in Europe, the trouble in Mexico, the change of government in Egypt and other matters of lesser importance. Miss Cora S. Cobb spoke briefly of the new Woman's Peace movement in Boston.

The Auburndale Review Club met on Tuesday, January 26th, with Mrs. William A. Knowlton, 25 Hancock street. Mrs. Sadler procured the services of Mrs. G. N. Stuggles and her daughter for the music of the morning, which comprised a "cello solo"—"Liebesfreud," Kreisler, by Miss Ruggles, a vocal duet, "Last Night," Kjerulf, and a selection for voice and cello, "Happy Days Gone By," Strelczski. Mrs. Gordon was in charge of the literary program and read a paper on "Colonial and Revolutionary Boston." Historic Buildings and Homes of Celebrated People was the subject allotted to Miss Williams, and a paper on Mayor Quincy and the City Charter by Mrs. Rider completed the program.

At a meeting of the Social Science Club on Wednesday morning it was voted to join in the relief work for the hospitals in Northern France, which the clubs of the Newtons are planning under the direction of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs. The speaker of the morning was Mr. Havah W. L. Hubbard and there was a large attendance of members and guests. Mr. Hubbard, who also has this relief work much at heart, prefaced his paper with an earnest plea for the crying need which exists for hospital materials of all sorts. Turning to his subject for the morning he gave a wonderful presentation of two operas, "Love of the three Kings," and "The Secret of Suzanne." Unfortunately his accompanist was unable to be present, so that the club did not have the added pleasure of the musical selections, but every one present was most enthusiastic in praise of the lecture.

A group of women from Greater Boston gathered Wednesday afternoon at the Headquarters of the Colonial Society of America, 301 Newbury street, Boston, and discussed the desirability of forming a club for the purpose of studying Civics and civic problems. The organization was formed at the Boston Woman's Civics Club. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. W. E. Birdsell; Secretary, Mrs. Saxe-Holmes; Treasurer, Mrs. James I. Wingate. The subject for the next meeting, Feb. 10, 2 P. M. at the same place will be "School-Centres," and will be presented by Mrs. J. Miller, Assistant at the South Boston School Centre.

The program to be given by the Highland Glee Club in Bray Hall February 9th, in aid of the social service work of the Newton Centre Woman's Club, will be an unusual treat for music lovers. Dancing from 10 to 12 will follow the concert.

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NEWTON WOMAN'S CLUB

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The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George Clapp, 503 Walnut street, Newtonville, on Thursday afternoon, February eleventh. Mr. Winford Joubert will speak on the Mexican Crisis.

TRAVEL CLASS MEETING

At the regular meeting of the Travel Class of the West Newton Women's Educational Club, held on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Darling, the modern history of Egypt down to the present time was discussed in papers by Mrs. Susan M. Dimond and Mrs. Early. The "Arabic Language" with quotations from some very ancient poetry, was a very interesting paper by Mrs. Seaver.

"Papyrus" by Mrs. Robinson brought another important Egyptian subject to the discussion, while "The Arts and Crafts of Egypt" were not only fully described by Mrs. Jordan but also illustrated by specimens of artistic jewelry.

An afternoon unusually full of interest concluded with a paper by Mrs. Emma Dimond on "The Suez Canal."

NEWTON LADIES HOME CIRCLE

A most interesting meeting will be held in the usual place on Thursday, February 4th at 2 P. M. It is hoped every member will be there to answer to the roll call. All are asked to bring a pound of something as a contribution to a most needy worthy family. Our calls are many. Tea will be served.

HUNNEWELL CLUB

The Entertainment Committee of the club gave the members and their guests a delightful surprise last Friday evening in securing such artists as Mr. Guy Maier, pianist, Miss Katherine Kemp-Stillings, violinist, and Mme. Clara Huntington, at a mid-winter musicale. The hall was well filled with an audience which evidently appreciated the skillful work of these artists. Mr. Maier aroused the greatest enthusiasm by his splendid playing on the piano, his numbers ranging in place variety and all rendered with a sureness and delicacy of touch that characterized him as a master of the piano. Miss Stillings played with taste and feeling and showed an excellent technique, while Mme. Huntington's singing was received with applause.

The matinee whist on Monday attracted enough ladies to fill eighteen tables, notwithstanding the inclement weather. Souvenirs were awarded to Mrs. C. N. Young, Mrs. W. O. Delano, Mrs. L. L. Marshall and Mrs. Whittemore. Mrs. J. Q. A. Whittemore and Mrs. Fred H. Loveland presided at the tables and Mrs. George Lincoln Parker was in charge of the entire affair. The mid-winter dance on Tuesday night was well attended and everyone had a jolly good time. Mrs. M. E. Gleason, Mrs. E. O. Gruener, Mrs. W. F. Garcelon and Mrs. Fred H. Loveland poured.

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Newton Highlands

—Mr. E. E. Hills of Lake avenue is home from Philadelphia.

—Miss W. L. Oliver of Forest street left this week for Brockton, Mass.

—The Monday Club met this week with Mrs. E. G. Allen on Walnut street.

—Miss A. Sampson of Floral street is home from a short visit in Enfield, N. H.

—Mr. Charles Small has been ill at his home on Floral street the past week.

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—The next meeting of the Monday Club is with Mrs. W. E. Bowen, 11 Chester street.

—Rev. G. T. Smart preached at the noonday service at King's Chapel, Boston, today.

—Mr. Gilbert H. Noyes of Rockledge road is expected home from London this week.

—Mr. Henry Gardner of New York has been spending the week with relatives in this village.

—Mr. Henry Gardner, who has been visiting relatives here this week, left Wednesday for Providence, R. I.

—Mr. Edward Gardner of Lake avenue, who has been suffering with the rheumatism, is able to be out again.

—The Highland Glee Club will give a concert in Bray Hall, Newton Centre, on Tuesday evening, February 9.

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Seventy-first Annual Statement

According to Values December 31, 1914, as fixed by the Massachusetts Insurance Department

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Bonds and Stocks	\$38,805,409.00	Reserve at Massachusetts Standard	\$61,808,377.71
Real Estate: Home Office Buildings	1,230,003.19	Death and Endowment Claims Reported and Awaiting Proofs	292,389.53
Other Real Estate	560,369.15	Reserve for Unreported Death Claims	47,678.00
Loans on First Mortgage	15,031,884.00	Reserve for Equalization of Mortality and Depreciation of Assets	300,000.00
Loans on Collateral Security	222,850.00	Premiums and Interest paid in advance	67,213.35
Loans on Policies and Premium Notes	11,665,392.24	Commissions and Expenses Accrued	52,694.43
Interest and Rents, due and accrued	867,977.49	Insurance Taxes, payable in 1915	158,094.39
Net Outstanding Premiums	634,347.91	Distribution of Surplus Accrued	462,979.17
Cash in Banks	1,144,778.05	Distribution of Surplus Apportioned Dec. 31, 1914, payable in 1915	1,970,000.00
			\$65,159,426.58
		NET SURPLUS, Massachusetts Standard,	\$5,003,584.45
			\$70,163,011.03

Increase in Premium Income	\$ 542,243.13
Increase in Gross Income	707,494.06
Increase in Assets	3,994,308.50
Increase in Policy Reserves	3,876,852.39
Increase in Insurance in Force	16,282,265.00

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SHUBERT THEATRE—No musical attraction since "The Merry Widow" first came to Boston seems to have made such an impression on the Boston press and public as "The Peasant Girl." Its two stars, Emma Trentini and Clifton Crawford, are two magnets, who, alone, could draw a large percentage of Boston theatregoers to the Shubert, whatever their vehicle. But "The Peasant Girl" has made good so emphatically on its own account, that the stars have not outshone its merits

in the least. Trentini reaches the very top of her musical glory in the songs that have been allotted her in "The Peasant Girl." No such stirring music has been heard on the musical comedy stage for a long time. It is with real regret that amusement lovers will read the announcement that this opera cannot linger here, but must continue on its journey toward Broadway. The third and last week of its engagement at the Shubert begins, therefore, next Monday, Feb. 1st.

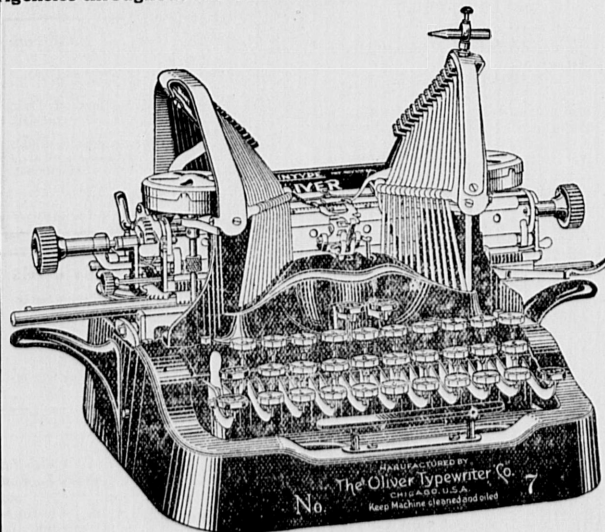
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THE GERMAN SIDE OF THE WAR

At a meeting Tuesday night at the Methodist Church under the auspices of the Men's Club, Mrs. Sebastian Jordan, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Murray of Newton, gave an interesting talk on "Germany and the War." Mrs. Jordan lived in Germany for six years, four years as a student at Munich and two years as the wife of Professor Jordan of that University.

Mrs. Jordan said that she merely intended to answer some of the charges which had been made against Germany in the present war, among which she mentioned the following:—

1—Germany caused this war by allowing Austria to bully her little neighbor, Servia.

2—Germany has been preparing for such a war and her militarism is a menace to the world.

3—Germany has assumed the role of the highest culture and wishes to enforce it on the world.

4—Germany broke a treaty, violating the neutrality of Belgium, entering and devastating that country.

In considering the first of these so-called causes, Mrs. Jordan asked for a just and fair consideration of the question. According to the statement of experts, Servia had continually been a menace to the peace of Europe. Had her case been tried before an International Court of Arbitration, Servia undoubtedly would have been judged guilty. She would have promised to be a good neighbor to Austria, and would have continued her secret intrigues against Austria. Decisive measures needed to be taken by this latter country.

Mobilization had begun in Russia against Austria and on the German border. When Germany was asking the question "Why?" she received no answer. The only hope Germany had for her salvation was a speedier mobilization than Russia.

As for France, she was in the triple entente. It was imperative for Germany to know her attitude. Consequently Germany, in a fair, straightforward manner asked France. For an answer, she received, "We shall act as our interests dictate."

The entrance of England and Japan was an unexpected turn. But Mrs. Jordan emphasized the fact that Germany was asleep to the fact that England would be only too ready to take advantage of the situation.

As for the second cause, Mrs. Jordan told a little about the military training of the Germans, setting forth the noble qualities thus attained, qualities such as devotion, punctuality, and courage. It is the alleged purpose in compulsory service to be ready to defend the country at any time, for Germany was considered to be "Up against hostile nations all the time."

It is often heard that the military feeling pervades the life of the Germans. In the opinion of the speaker, the Germans are the "most military," but the "least warlike" of any nation. To illustrate this point, Mrs. Jordan told of a visit she received from four German boys. She questioned the four in turn with regard to their ambition. The eldest declared that he wanted to be an author like his great-grandfather. The next in age wanted to be an admiral, whereas the two youngest agreed in desiring to be generals. Mrs.

Jordan said that this latter position must require a large amount of courage, when one of the boys remarked, "Oh, pshaw! We will never have to fight in any wars!"

As for the militarism she could not see that German militarism was any worse than that of any other country.

In discussing the statement that Germany has assumed the role of the highest culture in the world, Mrs. Jordan stated that, from her observation, Germany was too unappreciative of her own culture, and that it was far from her purpose to force it upon the rest of the world.

Then fourth and last came the subject of the broken treaty. Undoubtedly had the treaty been tried in a court it would not have been considered valid. As for violating Belgian neutrality, did not the United States violate Mexican neutrality by entering and occupying Vera Cruz?

But a vital question arises. Was Belgium really neutral? How about the statement of England that she would send troops to Belgium in case Germany violated the neutrality—Germany asked only permission to pass through Belgium, and promised indemnity.

Everywhere Belgium was warned that Germany would not attack unless attacked, that passageway only, was desired. England, when asked by Germany if she would remain out of this war if the neutrality of Belgium were not broken, made no reply.

It is not true that the Germans are passing through Belgium devastating and destroying. On the other hand, Germany is doing all in its power to help that country.

In closing Mrs. Jordan said that it was not her purpose to ask for sympathy towards Germany, because she realized that it was impossible to win by argument, but her request was rather for an impartial attitude of the American people to that country across the seas.

Mrs. Jordan is the daughter of Mr. P. A. Murray of Washington street, Newton.

Upper Falls

—Naomi Lodge, Degree of Honor will hold a whist party and dance at Foresters Hall, on Thursday evening.

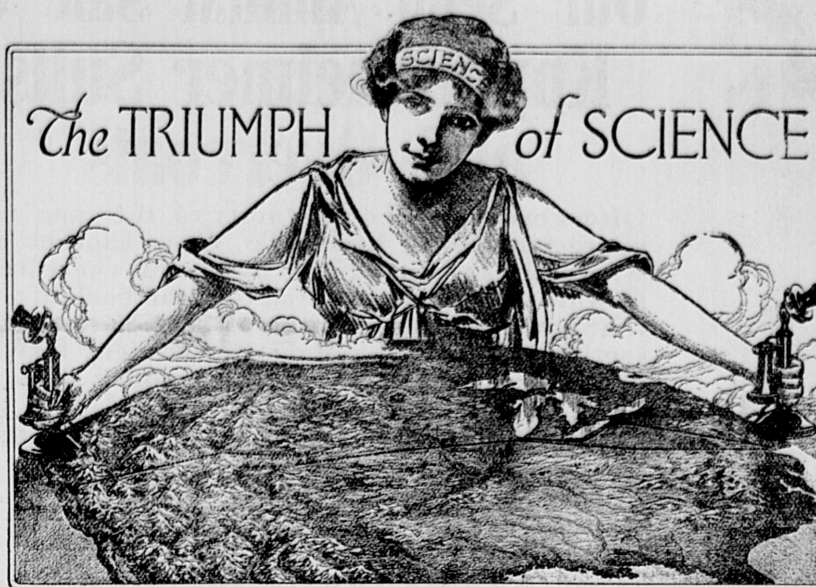
—The Women's Foreign Missionary Society will meet at the Methodist Parsonage on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

—Miss Ellie Campbell, who has been ill for many weeks at the Newton Hospital, returned to her home on Elliot street Saturday much improved.

—Lettercarrier John Martin of Champa avenue, who has been confined to his home for two months with an inflamed heel caused by stepping on a sharp stone, resumed his duties as letter carrier on Saturday.

—On Thursday evening, February 4th, Mr. Charles C. Gorst, the noted whistler will give a lecture on "Stories and Songs of Familiar Birds," at the M. E. Church at 7.30. This entertainment is given under the auspices of the Boys Scouts and the proceeds are to be used for Scout work in this village.

—Sunday at the Methodist Episcopal Church the Rev. J. T. Carlyn will take for his text at 10.45 A. M., "The Father Witness," and at the Vesper Service at 3.30, "Our Privilege in Christ." The Highland Glee Club with Mr. A. J. Fairbanks as director and Mr. George Henderson, pianist will assist the pastor at the Vesper Service.



THIS busy, progressive nation is today at the dawn of a new era of commercial and social development. The means by which the human voice, with its slightest inflections and indications of personality, can be carried across the continent instantly, have been provided. Talking by telephone from the Atlantic to the Pacific is now an accomplished fact.

The celebration of this latest and greatest triumph in the art of telephony has just taken place. Within a short time the public will have, ready for its use, the product of American brains, American initiative and American scientific and technical skill, a transcontinental telephone service, the equal of which is not even approached in all the other nations of the world.

It is a splendid scientific achievement of the very highest character. The power that sends the human voice out over the telephone is scarcely greater than that of a breath, yet the means have been provided by which this tiny, almost imaginary impulse, made up of as many as 2,000 separate vibrations a second, can be picked up by a delicate instrument, conserved over a distance of 3,400 miles, and reproduced perfectly and instantly across the continent. The human voice has been made to travel as fast as light, faster than sound unaided by technical apparatus; indeed, it rivals THOUGHT even, in the swiftness of its flight.

The imagination can but feebly grasp, much less attempt to measure, the far-reaching significance of such a tremendous accomplishment. One hundred million people will have for their daily use a system of communication that knows no East, no West, no North, no South. Dialects, provincialisms, sectional prejudices, must eventually yield to the closer union, the better understanding, the more intimate comradeship that the human voice establishes. The neighborliness of a whole nation is advanced by the brushing away of the physical restraints of centuries.

This contribution to the future happiness and prosperity of a more closely united people has not been brought about, however, by the overcoming of a few isolated, concrete difficulties. Its success has depended upon the exercise of the highest engineering and technical skill and the solution was found only in the cumulative effect of improvements great and small, in telephone, transmitter, line, cable, switchboard, and every other piece of apparatus or plant required in the transmission of speech.

In this work the experimental and research department of the Bell System of which this Company is a part, has been engaged ever since the telephone became a commercial possibility, less than 40 years ago. With no traditions to follow and no experience to guide, this department, which is now directed by a staff of over 550 engineers and scientists, including former professors, post graduate students, scientific investigators—the graduates of 140 universities—has created an entirely new art—the art of telephony, and has given to the people of this country a telephone service that has no equal.

It has required vast expenditures of money and immense concentration of effort, but these have been justified by results of immeasurable benefit to the public. The transcontinental telephone line, 3,400 miles long, joining the Atlantic and Pacific, is part of the Bell System of 21,000,000 miles of wire connecting 9,000,000 telephone stations, located everywhere throughout the United States. Composing this system are the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and Associated Companies and connecting companies, giving universal service to 100,000,000 people.

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Upper Falls

—The death of Miss Mary Hagerty, daughter of Mr. Dennis Hagerty of 363 Elliot street, occurred Monday at the Carney Hospital after a brief illness. Miss Hagerty was 44 years of age and was born in Boston, but has been a resident of this village since childhood. Her Christian character and unassuming manner endeared her to her many friends. She leaves a father, mother and one brother.

Funeral services were held Thursday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Mary's Church, the Rev. T. J. Danahy officiating. Burial was at Calvary Cemetery, Waltham.

—The Methodist Episcopal Church on Sunday evening was filled to the limit of its seating capacity in honor of Mr. Darius Cobb who was present with his wonderful painting, "The Master." The Rev. Dr. Crathern of Park Church, Worcester, gave an interesting address on his experiences with the artist and his picture and of the opinions which had been expressed by many, both old and young, who had seen it. He then introduced Mr. Cobb who told the history of the painting of the picture in a most interesting way. How that it had been the one aim all through his life to paint this picture and the years that he had taken to paint it. There was special music by a quartette, which was assisted in the last hymn, "Nearer, My God to Thee," by Mr. Cobb. The Rev. J. Marcus Koster of the Second Baptist Church assisted the pastor, Rev. J. T. Carlyn in conducting the service.

NEWTON OPERA HOUSE

The attraction for the week of February first will be Francis X. Bushman, winner of the Ladies World Hero contest, who will appear on Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 3 and 4, in the drama taken from the story of the contest, "One Wonderful Night," in four parts. There will be two matinees on Saturday afternoon for the convenience of patrons of the "Exploits of Elaine," 1.30 and 3.30 P. M.

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—The Mandolin Orchestra will assist in the service Sunday evening at 7.30 in the Methodist Church.

—Miss Marian P. Raymond who has been travelling abroad for the past two years is now in Sweden.

—Mr. and Mrs. William P. Fowler of Washington terrace are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

—Mr. and Mrs. John T. Burns, Jr., have moved into their handsome new residence recently completed on Lowell avenue.

—Mr. Charles D. Meserve of the Newton Classical High School was recently elected president of the Schoolmasters' Club.

—Mr. Frank F. Jonsberg and family of Highland avenue are moving into their new home at 432 Dedham street, Newton Centre.

—Miss Harriet C. Morse, who has been extensively entertained since the recent announcement of her engagement to Mr. Nicholas Richardson, was the guest of honor at a luncheon on Friday at the Hotel Brunswick. The table was attractively decorated in a scheme of yellow, and Miss Morse was presented with a silver plate, Mrs. Elsie Phelan Larsen making the presentation. Among the guests were Mrs. Edward B. Kellogg, Mrs. James H. McClellan, Mrs. James L. Edwards, Mrs. Joanna Sardony, Mrs. Ramon Blanchard, Mrs. Carl Harvey Wheeler, Mrs. Carl Watson, Mrs. Philip Carbone, Mrs. Vina Watson, Miss Flora McDonald, Miss May Bartlett, Mrs. John Hughes, Miss Julia Kenney, Mrs. A. F. Adams and Mrs. J. Wesley Johnson.

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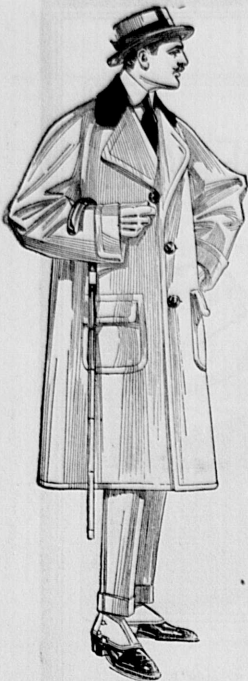
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THE Probate Court for said County will receive and examine all claims of creditors against the estate of said Mortimer H. Clarke and notice is hereby given that six months from the eighteenth day of January A. D. 1915, are allowed to creditors to present and prove their claims against said estate, and that the Court will receive and examine the claims of creditors at Cambridge, on the twenty-third day of February 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, and at Cambridge, on the twenty-third day of March 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon.

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A RAINY DAY IN THE GARRET

I went to bed early on Tuesday, dreaming of the good times we would have on the following day at the picnic. In my dream I dreamed we fell into the water and waking up, I found that instead, the rain was pouring down in a leak in the roof. Oh how horrid! this would spoil all the fun. Even if it did stop raining; it would be too damp in the woods, or the country meadows.

I dressed myself and half ran, half tumbled down the stairs to tell the awful news. We took a pall upstairs to catch the water and then strained our eyes to see the faintest sign of a clearing in the large black clouds. But no, it was hopeless, we would have to stay in the hot old house.

It was not a very cheerful breakfast; everybody grumbled and sister burned the toast. The coffee was too strong and finally we all got up in disgust. "Bout time for the mailman," said Edgar crossly, "he never comes on time when you want him to!"

Just then the doorbell rang and he rushed for the door.

"Letter from Aunt Madge to me," he said shortly, and went up to his room to read it by himself. A minute later he came down the stairs, shouting, "Hurrah! Aunt Madge will be here in about ten minutes. I'm going down to the train to meet her."

Instantly the whole house was bustling about getting ready for the guest. When Aunt Madge came into the room with her large satchel and cheery smile, everyone had to smile, too, and it looked for awhile as if the sun would smile for pure joy. But no, it couldn't seem to manage, and the rain poured, if anything, a little harder.

When Auntie was settled we crowded around her large armchair and asked for something brand new to do. Now Aunt Madge had lived in this very same house when she was a little girl, and her father and mother and may be her grandparents for all we knew. So you see she knew the house from top to bottom. All of a sudden we could tell by her face that she had thought of a new game or play.

She told us to follow her and went up stairs, flight after flight, until she stood in the large south attic where she had never been before. She went over in one corner which was filled with old trunks, boxes and bags of all kinds. We followed her and opened one apiece.

She said we would leave the others for another day. And what a collection of things! Old hats and coats dating back to the Pilgrims. In mine was an old Quaker gown which had belonged to my great, great grandmother.

The time flew so swiftly that tea-time came before we knew it.

We begged to wear our things downstairs and it was very funny trying to act as if we were the real characters.

After supper we had lots of fun folding up and putting away the clothes.

When this was finished, Aunt Madge told us one last story and then rushed for her things so as not to be late for the homebound train.

Helen Sheldon.

There was war between the French and the Indians. In a cottage on the edge of the forest lived Clarence Osborne and his mother.

His father, Captain Osborne, had been away a month and they did not know how much longer it would be before they would see him again.

Clarence was a brave little boy and his mother was proud of him.

Fort Ridgely was right near Clarence's home and he visited it often. One day he said to his mother, "May I go out and hunt for a while?"

"Yes," answered his mother, "but remember, there are Indians about."

"I will mother, good-by," he said, closing the door behind him. He took his bow and arrow as the Indians would hear his gun go off.

As he walked along he heard a noise which came closer and closer. Quickly he climbed up a tree and looking down, saw a sight which made his heart beat fast.

A large party of Indians were camping very near the tree and he heard one of them say, "We attack the fort at dusk." That was all he cared to listen to. Slowly and carefully he climbed down, picked his way to the path and flew to the fort. As soon as he could get his breath he told what he had heard.

The soldiers placed the guns in position and watched for the approach of the Indians.

About five o'clock one of the sentinels suddenly discovered moving bushes a little distance away. As there was no breeze that night, he decided it was the Indians.

He shot at one of the bushes, and heard a cry; he had killed an Indian.

Five hundred Indians sprang instantly out of the bushes, but the shot had alarmed the camp and the men were at once on the spot. After a sharp battle, the Indians were defeated. The soldiers praised Clarence and when he was sixteen they made him Lieutenant Osborne.

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Now the old town clock strikes the midnight And the stars glitter bright in the sky, The dim village lights flicker slowly, And the moon lights the town from on high.

And away across the great hollow Stand the Catskills strong, firm and still, Night finds all the valley in slumber; But the river flows on by the mill.

While peace o'er the valley is hanging, And asleep are the restless and gay, As the vale lies quietly dreaming, All awaiting the dawn of the day.

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PROBATE COURT.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary F. Dempsey late of Newton in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Martin Dempsey of Newton in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the third day of February A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Newton Graphic a newspaper published in Newton the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this fourteenth day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

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